

Press of Oxford Orphanage
Oxford, N. C.
1936





J. GILES HUDSON
Grand Master, 1936-1937

County. In the fall of 1910 he entered the University of North Carolina, took Special Literary Course, entered the Law School of the University, took the full law course, stood the North Carolina Bar examination August, 1912, received his license to practice law, September, 1912. He has been actively engaged in the practice with his Brother, T. Frank Hudson, firm of Hudson & Hudson, since that time, and now with his brother T. Frank Hudson, and his nephew, James A. Hudson, a son of T. Frank Hudson.

He enlisted and served in the U. S. Army during the world war and was stationed at the Officers Training School or Camp at Camp Gordon, Ga.

A charter member of Samuel C. Hart Post of the American Legion. Served as Commander of the Post one year.

A charter member of the Salisbury Kiwanis Club.

Served as Chairman of the Rowan County Board of Elections, and is now Secretary of the Rowan County Board of Elections.

Member of the First Methodist Church, Salisbury, Chairman of the Board of Stewards.

Other Fraternal orders: Member of Jr. Order, U. A. M., Sons and Daughter of Liberty, Patriotic Sons of America.

Interested in all local civic activities.

Married July 5, 1920, to Miss Annie Bell Cruse, of Spencer, N. C., have four children, two boys and two girls.

JAMES GILES HUDSON

Petitioned Spencer Lodge, No. 543, January 28, 1913.

Raised Spencer Lodge, June 5, 1913.

Served three terms as Senior Deacon Spencer Lodge.

Demitted from Spencer Lodge, No. 543, Sept. 30, 1921.

Elected to Membership in Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 576, November 10, 1921.

Served as Master of Andrew Jackson Lodge three terms.

February 24, 1924, received the Royal Arch Degree in Salisbury Chapter, No. 20, R. A. M.

December 19, 1932, was elected High Priest of Salisbury Chapter and served one term.

May 19, 1924, he received the Order of the Temple in Salisbury Commandery, No. 13, K. T., and served as Eminent Commander from March 14, 1927, to March, 1930, three terms.

March 16, 1925, he received the Royal and Select Masters' Degrees in Adoniram Council, No. 2, and was elected illustrious Master the same night and served two terms.

November 20, 1919, he received the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Degrees in Carolina Consistory, Charlotte, N. C.

December 4, 1919, he received the order of Mystic Shrine in Oasis Temple, Charlotte, N. C.

He was a charter member of Spencer Chapter, No. 31, O. E. S., which was formed November, 1915, and in December, 1919, he demitted from Spencer Chapter and was elected to membership in Salisbury Chapter, No. 117, Salisbury, December 23, 1919, and served as Worthy Patron from March, 1927 to 1929.

A member of Bethlehem Shrine, No. 4, White Shrine of Jerusalem, and served one term as Watchman of Shepherds.

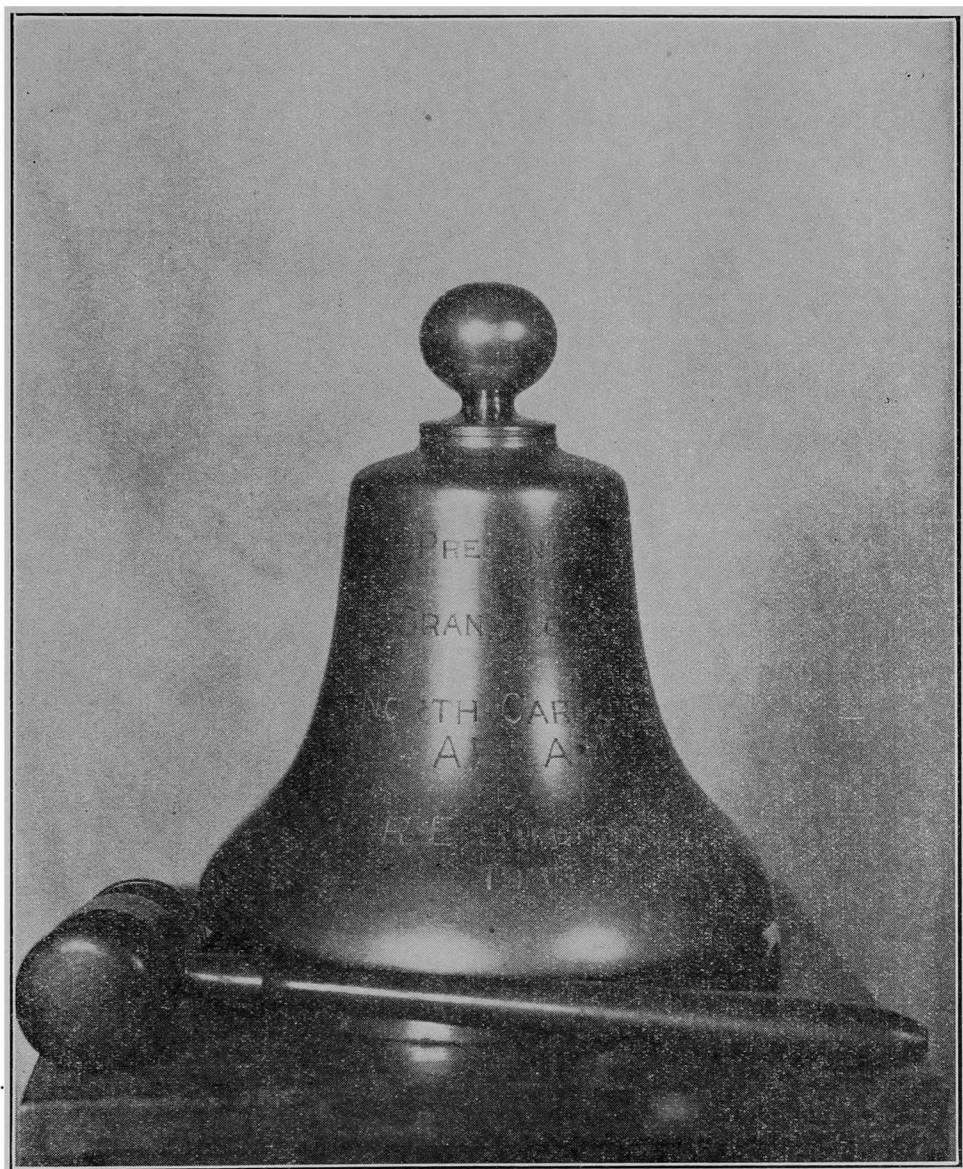
At the January Communication of the Grand Lodge, 1928, he was appointed as Senior Grand Steward of the Grand Lodge, by Grand Master R. C. Dunn. Was the last one to serve the Grand Lodge as Grand Pursuivant, the office being abolished that year; and has been advanced each year thereafter.

Elected to Life Membership in Andrew Jackson Lodge, 576.

Present Grand Captain of the Guard in Grand Commandery of North Carolina.

Served as District Deputy Grand Master of the Salisbury District for a number of years.

James Giles Hudson was born on September 2, 1890, on the Hudson farm seven miles Northwest from Salisbury on the Yadkin River, the son of the late James A. Hudson, and wife, Sarah Fleming Hudson. He attended the public schools of Rowan, one year to the School of the late E. H. Miller, in Franklin; four years at Churchland High School, Davidson County, under the leadership of Prof. S. G. Hasty, the present County Superintendent of Rowan



The bell was stolen from "Old Ironsides" by George Washington's lackey who thought it was gold. He buried it on Shuter's Hill and it was unearthed when digging for the foundation of the George Washington Masonic National Association at Alexandria, Virginia.

The walnut gavel was secured from one of the first crossties used on a railroad one hundred miles in length in the United States, extending from Charleston to Bamberg, S. C., just across the Savannah River from Augusta, Georgia, in 1829. This crosstie was removed from the track on Abraham Lincoln's birthday, near Branchville, South Carolina, which was the first railroad junction point of any railroad in the world; which is still a junction point and as information, the same depot building is in good repair and functioning today.

Presented to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina by Brother R. E. Simpson of Charlotte, N. C.

Proceedings
OF THE
GRAND LODGE
A. F. And A. M.
Of North Carolina



1936

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

LIST OF OFFICERS OF THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH
CAROLINA FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1937

ELECTIVE OFFICERS

M. W. J. Giles	Hudson	Grand Master	Salisbury
R. W. Watson	N. Sherrod	Deputy Grand Master	Enfield
R. W. Harry T.	Paterson	Senior Grand Warden	Wilmington
R. W. J. Edward	Allen	Junior Grand Warden	Warrenton
R. W. H. C.	Alexander	Grand Treasurer	Charlotte
R. W. J. H.	Anderson	Grand Secretary	Raleigh

APPOINTEE OFFICERS

W. Wm. R.	Smith	Assistant Grand Secy.	Raleigh
Rev. W. A.	Newell	Grand Chaplain	Salisbury
Rev. J. H.	Barnhardt	Asst. Grand Chaplain	Raleigh
W. Leon	Cash, P. G. M.	Grand Lecturer	Winston-Salem
W. Thos. J.	Harkins	Senior Grand Deacon	Asheville
W. Chas. P.	Eldridge	Junior Grand Deacon	Raleigh
W. James E.	Shipman	Grand Marshal	Hendersonville
W. James W.	Payne	Grand Steward	Salisbury
W. Julius C.	Hobbs	Grand Steward	Wilmington
W. W. D.	Terry	Grand Tiler	Raleigh
W. K. W.	Parham	Grand Auditor	Raleigh
W. Wilson	Warlick	Grand Orator	Newton

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

P. G. M. R. C.	DUNN, Enfield	1937
P. G. M. F. D.	WINSTON, Windsor	1938
P. G. M. J. LEG.	EVERETT, Salisbury	1939
P. G. M. LEON	CASH, Winston-Salem	1940
P. G. M. H. M. POTEAT,	Wake Forest	1941

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

J. GILES HUDSON,	<i>Grand Master.</i>	
LEON CASH,	<i>Grand Lecturer.</i>	
J. E. SHIPMAN,	Hendersonville	1937
S. N. BOYCE,	Gastonia	1938
H. M. POTEAT,	Wake Forest	1939

ASSISTANT GRAND LECTURERS

P. C. STOTT—First District	Wendell
J. W. PATTON—Second District	Elon College
JOHN F. MARQUETTE—Third District	Statesville
JEFF L. NELSON—Fourth District	Morganton

BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF OXFORD ORPHANAGE

R. C. Dunn, (1937); J. W. Winborne, (1938); A. B. Andrews, (1939); L. T. Hartsell, Jr., (1940); Thos. J. Harkins, (1941);

PAST GRAND MASTERS

A LIST OF THE PAST GRAND MASTERS OF THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM 1787 TO 1935 INCLUSIVE AND DATES WHEN ELECTED

*Samuel Johnston-----1787	*Horace H. Munson--1876, '77
*Richard Caswell-----1788	*William R. Cox-----1878, '79
*Samuel Johnston--1789, '90, '91	*Henry F. Grainger---1880, '81
*William R. Davie--1792, '93,	*Robert Bingham--1882, '83, '84
'94, '95, '96, '97, '98	*Fabius H. Busbee---1885, '86
*William Polk-----1799, 1800, '01	*C. H. Robinson-----1887, '88
*John L. Taylor--1802, '03, '04	*Samuel H. Smith-----1889, '90
*John Hall-----1805, '06, '07	*Hezekiah A. Gudger--1891, '92
*Benjamin Smith--1808, '09, '10	*John W. Cotten-----1893, '94
*Robert Williams--1811, '12, '13	*Francis M. Moye-----1895, '96
*John L. Taylor--1814, '15, '16	*Walter E. Moore-----1897, '98
*Calvin Jones-----1817, '18, '19	*Richard J. Noble-----1899
*John A. Cameron-----1820, '21	*B. S. Royster-----1900, '01
*James Strudwick Smith--1822	*H. I. Clark-----1902, '03
*Robert Strange-----1823, '24	W. S. Liddell-----1904, '05
*H. G. Burton-----1825, '26	Francis D. Winston--1906, '07
*L. D. Wilson-----1827, '28, '29	*Samuel M. Gattis-----1908, '09
*R. D. Speight, Jr.---1830, '31	*Richard N. Hackett--1910, '11
*S. J. Baker-----1832	*W. B. McKoy-----1912
*S. F. Patterson-----1833, '34	*F. M. Winchester-----1913
*L. H. Martseller-----1835, '36	*Jno. T. Alderman-----1914
*D. W. Stone-----1837, '38, '39	F. P. Hobgood, Jr.---1915
*S. J. Baker-----1840	A. B. Andrews, Jr.---1916
*D. L. Crenshaw-----1841	Claude L. Pridgen---1917
*J. H. Wheeler-----1842, '43	*George S. Norfleet---1918
*P. W. Fanning--1844, '45, '46	Henry A. Grady-----1919
*W. F. Collins-----1847, '48, '49	*James C. Braswell-----1920
*A. T. Jerkins-----1850, '51, '52	J. Bailey Owen-----1921
*Clement H. Jordan--1853, '54	*James H. Webb-----1922
*P. A. Holt-----1855, '56	Hubert McN. Poteat--1923
*Alfred Martin-----1857, '58	James LeG. Everett--1924
*Lewis S. Williams--1859, '60	Leon Cash-----1925
*W. G. Hill-----1861	*John E. Cameron-----1926
*E. F. Watson-----1862, '63	John H. Anderson---1927
*John McCormick-----1864	Raymond C. Dunn-----1928
*E. J. Reade-----1865, '66	John J. Phoenix-----1929
*R. W. Best-----1867	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.--1930
*Robert B. Vance-----1868, '69	J. W. Winborne-----1931
*Charles C. Clark-----1870, '71	H. C. Alexander-----1932
*John Nichols-----1872, '73	P. T. Wilson-----1933
*George W. Blount--1874, '75	R. F. Ebbs-----1934
	C. B. Newcomb-----1935

* Deceased.

- No. 26—Monroe District---Carl N. Maynard (244)-----Monroe
 No. 27—Charlotte Dist.-----M. C. Alexander (530)----Charlotte
 No. 28—Gastonia District---A. W. Kincaid (515)--Bessemer City
 No. 29—Statesville District--R. E. Levan (487)-----Statesville
 No. 30—W.-Salem Dist.-----P. E. G. Renninger (289)--W.-Salem
 No. 31—Elkin District-----H. M. Foy (322)-----Mount Airy
 No. 32—Eliminated
 No. 33—Wilkesboro District--J. W. Nichols (407)--N. Wilkesboro
 No. 34—Jefferson District---R. E. Farmer (594)-----Lansing
 No. 35—Eliminated
 No. 36—Hickory District---J. T. Ingram (262)-----Lenoir
 No. 37—Shelby District-----J. W. Lee (486)-----Lawndale
 No. 38—Eliminated
 No. 39—Asheville District--Guy H. Morris (650)-----Asheville
 No. 40—Spruce Pine Dist.--Roy A. Harmon (598)-----Elk Park
 No. 41—Waynesville Dist.--D. K. Medford (453)-----Clyde
 No. 42—Sylva District-----C. Z. Candler (268)-----Sylva
 No. 43—Murphy District---Clyde H. Jarrett (529)-----Andrews
 No. 44—Rutherfordton Dist.--J. G. Beaman (237)-----Marion

STANDING COMMITTEES

Jurisprudence—R. C. Dunn, (447); J. W. Winborne, (237); E. W. Timberlake, (282); F. D. Winston, (5); H. A. Grady, (98); L. T. Hartsell, Jr., (32); Thos. J. Harkins, (118); Jno. S. McEachern, (1); H. M. Foy, (322); J. E. Shipman, (387); Chas. B. Newcomb, (1); J. W. Payne (543); and first four Grand Officers.

Finance—A. B. Andrews, (218); P. T. Wilson, (167); J. C. Hobbs, (1); R. F. Ebbs, (118); R. D. Shore, (167); W. B. Hodge, (31); E. R. Ford (76); and first four Grand Officers.

Oxford Orphanage—G. H. Hendrix, (32); Guy V. Gooding, (101); W. L. McIver, (151); R. R. Pool, (40); H. W. Pickett, (210).

Appeals—C. S. Chamberlain, (4); H. L. Taylor, (1); Z. V. Snipes, (147); H. Kauffman, (40); R. T. Allen, (114); H. M. Brandon, (289); T. O. Kepley, (99).

Masonic and Eastern Star Home—F. Eugene Hester, (384); M. A. Waddell, (190); W. T. Russell, (576); L. G. Jordan, (584); B. C. Nicholson, (497).

Masonic Temple—W. S. Liddell, (31); J. LeG. Everett, (495); F. D. Winston, (5); H. G. Etheridge, (118); M. F. McKeel, Jr., (104); E. W. Timberlake, (282); R. T. Allen, (114); A. B. Andrews, (218); R. C. Dunn, (447); F. I. Watson, (40); J. H. Anderson, (8); D. K. Medford, (453); H. M. Foy, (322); D. E. Bullock, (602).

By-Laws—J. H. Anderson, (8); Grand Secretary.

Charters and Dispensations—Guy H. Morris, (650); D. E. Bulluck, (602); E. L. Somers, (384); A. G. Klingler, (667); J. Berg, (249); S. L. Gullledge, (348).

and first four Grand Officers. Appointed by the Governor: R. L. Flowers, Ben Cone and R. E. Simpson.

DIRECTORS OF MASONIC FOUNDATION

J. H. Anderson, (1937); Herbert C. Alexander, (1938); R. C. Dunn, (1939); J. LeG. Everett, (1940); A. B. Andrews, (1941).

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

W. C. Wicker, (1937); W. R. Smith, (1937); J. J. Phoenix, (1938); W. P. Henley, (1938); Ben Cone, (1939); J. Howard Brown, (1939); John S. McEachern, (1940); J. E. Latham, (1940); E. R. Ford, (1941); R. F. Ebbs, (1941); and first four Grand Officers.

REPRESENTATIVE TO GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

J. Edward Allen-----Warrenton

REPRESENTATIVE TO MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION

J. Edward Allen-----Warrenton

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT

J. Edward Allen-----Warrenton

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

No. 1—Elizabeth City Dist. Roscoe M. Wynn (317)---Eliza. City
 No. 2—Windsor District---S. E. Phelps (5)-----Windsor
 No. 3—Plymouth District---R. H. Lucas (59)-----Plymouth
 No. 4—Halifax District---R. T. Daniel (203)-----Weldon
 No. 5—Greenville District---W. J. Bundy (284)-----Greenville
 No. 6—Kinston District---N. D. Gwatney (112)-----Goldsboro
 No. 7—New Bern District---Frank R. Sutton (568)-----New Bern
 No. 8—Jacksonville Dist.---J. R. Gurganus (83)-----Jacksonville
 No. 9—Clinton District---H. McN. Johnson (595)-----Willard
 No. 10—Wilmington Dist.---Jno. S. McEachern (1)---Wilmington
 No. 11—Lumberton District---R. T. Allen (114)-----Lumberton
 No. 12—Rockingham Dist.---R. E. Yongue, Jr. (305)---Laurinburg
 No. 13—Sanford District---L. L. Thomas (172)-----Jonesboro
 No. 14—Fayetteville Dist.---Z. V. Snipes (147)-----Dunn
 No. 15—Raleigh District---H. Kauffman (40)-----Raleigh
 No. 16—Smithfield District---Eliminated
 No. 17—Wilson District---R. M. Meacomes (411)-----Bailey
 No. 18—Rocky Mount Dist.---D. E. Bulluck (602)-----Rocky Mount
 No. 19—Henderson Dist.---Dr. H. A. Newell (229)---Henderson
 No. 20—Oxford District---D. S. Johnson (122)-----Oxford
 No. 21—Durham District---Chas. M. Walker (19)-----Hillsboro
 No. 22—Reidsville District---Clyde C. Cole (11)-----Yanceyville
 No. 23—Greensboro Dist.---R. L. Pope (214)-----Thomasville
 No. 24—Asheboro District---C. A. Graham (444)-----Ramseur
 No. 25—Salisbury District---Geo. S. Moore (348)-----Albemarle

FIRST DAY—EVENING SESSION

Raleigh, N. C., April 21, 1936.

The Grand Lodge of North Carolina convened in its One Hundred and Forty-Ninth Annual Communication in the Masonic Temple in Raleigh, N. C., on Tuesday evening, April 21, 1936, at 7:30 o'clock, and was opened in ample form by Most Worshipful Charles Bailey Newcomb, Grand Master, presiding, it appearing that a constitutional number of lodges was represented.

Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS PRESENT

M. W. CHAS. B. NEWCOMB	Grand Master
R. W. J. GILES HUDSON	Deputy Grand Master
R. W. WATSON N. SHERROD	Senior Grand Warden
R. W. HARRY T. PATERSON	Junior Grand Warden
R. W. HERBERT C. ALEXANDER	Grand Treasurer
R. W. J. H. ANDERSON	Grand Secretary
W. W. R. SMITH	Assistant Grand Secretary
REV. HARVEY A. COX	Grand Chaplain
W. LEON CASH	Grand Lecturer
W. J. EDWARD ALLEN	Senior Grand Deacon
W. GUY H. MORRIS	as Junior Grand Deacon
W. THOS. J. HARKINS	Grand Marshal
W. CHAS. P. ELDRIDGE	Grand Steward
W. J. E. SHIPMAN	Grand Steward
W. W. D. TERRY	Grand Tiler
W. K. W. PARHAM	Grand Auditor
REV. GERALD R. JORDAN	Grand Orator

GRAND CUSTODIANS

S. N. Boyce—J. E. Shipman

PAST GRAND MASTERS PRESENT

W. S. Liddell, Leon Cash, John H. Anderson, Raymond C. Dunn, A. B. Andrews, John J. Phoenix, J. W. Winborne, H. C. Alexander, Hubert McN. Poteat, P. T. Wilson, R. F. Ebbs.

Credentials—A. B. Goetze, (40); C. T. McClenaghan, (218); J. W. Kellogg, (218).

Charity—A. O. Alford, (218); State College, Raleigh.

Unfinished Business—C. P. Eldridge, (218).

Necrology—Leon Cash, (167).

Masonic Loan Fund—W. B. Hodge, (31), 1937, Chairman; W. R. Smith, (500), 1935, Secretary; Ross E. Shumaker, (500), 1936; Thos. J. Harkins, (118).

Masonic Education—R. F. Ebbs, (118); J. P. Ashby, (167); J. E. Shipman, (387); Hubert M. Poteat, (282); Royce S. McClelland, (1); John H. Anderson, (8); B. W. Fox, (31).

Committee on Lecture Service—C. B. Newcomb, (1); John H. Anderson, (8); Leon Cash, (167); S. N. Boyce, (369).

SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Sesqui-Centennial—J. Wallace Winborne, (237); E. W. Timberlake (282); Leon Cash, (167); A. B. Andrews, (218); J. Edward Allen, (10); F. D. Winston, (5); E. W. Spires, (7).

Lodge Service Commission—Chas. B. Newcomb, (1), Chairman.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

Massachusetts	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Concord
Michigan	H. T. Paterson	Wilmington
Mississippi	H. M. Brandon	Winston-Salem
Missouri	E. L. Somers	Reidsville
Montana	C. H. Pugh	Gastonia
Nevada	J. E. Shipman	Hendersonville
New Hampshire	C. A. Graham	Ramseur
New Jersey	J. H. Anderson	Raleigh
New York	R. C. Dunn	Enfield
North Dakota	K. W. Parham	Raleigh
Ohio	Leon Cash	Winston-Salem
Oklahoma	J. F. Marquette	Statesville
Rhode Island	J. W. Patton	Elon College
Tennessee	Herbert C. Alexander	Charlotte
Utah	W. J. Bundy	Greenville
Vermont	C. T. McClenaghan	Raleigh
Virginia	Thos. J. Harkins	Asheville
West Virginia	F. M. Pinnix	Oxford
Wyoming	R. K. Stewart	High Point

REPRESENTATIVES FOREIGN GRAND LODGES

Alpina, Switzerland	H. M. Foy	Mt. Airy
Minas Gereas, Brazil	C. H. Jarrett	Andrews
Parahyba, Brazil	Dr. Verne S. Caviness	Raleigh
San Paulo, Brazil	J. W. Lee	Lawndale
Bulgaria	W. B. Hodge	Charlotte
Canada	H. M. Poteat	Wake Forest
Chili	L. L. Thomas	Jonesboro
Colombia-Bogota	D. K. Medford	Clyde
Czecho-Slovakia	J. Howard Brown	Greenville
Cuscatlan of Salvador	J. Ray Shute, II	Monroe
G. O. of Greece	J. C. Hobbs	Wilmington
England	Alexander B. Andrews	Raleigh
Finland	H. G. Etheridge	Asheville
G. O. of Turkey	Roy F. Ebbs	Asheville
G. L. Lessing		
Zu den Drei Ringen	Ross E. Shumaker	Raleigh
Honduras	Dr. R. T. Allen	Lumberton
Manitoba	Rev. Jos. L. Peacock	Tarboro
El Potasi of San Luis, Mexico	Chas. M. Walker	Hillsboro
Valle de Mexico, Mexico	Dr. C. P. Eldridge	Raleigh
National of Egypt	M. Saliba	Wilson
National of France	J. G. Beaman	Marion
New South Wales	J. W. Nichols	North Wilkesboro
Norway	R. L. Pope	Thomasville
Norway, G. L. Norske		
Polarstjernen	Henry L. Taylor	Wilmington
Panama	J. Edward Allen	Warrenton
Philippine Islands	R. T. Daniel	Weldon

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No. 43—	Murphy District	Clyde H. Jarrett (529)	Andrew's
No. 44—	Rutherfordton Dist.	J. G. Beaman (237)	Marion

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

Alabama	D. E. Bulluck	Rocky Mount
Arizona	Frank C. Abernethy	Gastonia
Arkansas	John S. McEachern	Wilmington
Colorado	W. N. Sherrod	Enfield
Connecticut	S. N. Boyce	Gastonia
Delaware	A. B. Goetze	Raleigh
Florida	W. L. McIver	Sanford
Idaho	H. W. Pickett	Durham
Illinois	P. T. Wilson	Winston-Salem
Indiana	A. W. Harris	Greenville
Kansas	Z. V. Snipes	Dunn
Kentucky	C. S. Chamberlain	Kinston
Louisiana	J. W. Winborne	Marion
Maine	F. F. Harding	Raleigh

St. John's	No.	3—C. F. Bunting, proxy for Officers.
Charity	No.	5—E. S. Pugh, proxy for Master and S. W.; B. E. Grant, J. W.
Unanimity	No.	7—J. A. Curran, Master; J. Edwin Bufflap, proxy for S. W.; John L. Spruill, proxy for J. W.
Phoenix	No.	8—Q. J. Scarborough, Master; R. W. Harrison, proxy for S. W.; R. W. Pritchard, proxy for J. W.
Johnston-Caswell	No.	10—J. C. Moore, proxy for Master; J. J. Stallings, proxy for S. W.; J. R. Ellis, J. W.
Caswell Broth'hd	No.	11—C. C. Cole, proxy for Master; O. A. Powell, S. W.; L. G. Page, J. W.
Eagle	No.	19—E. C. Liner, Master, proxy for S. W.; Sidney Strayhorn, J. W.
Phalanx	No.	31—Z. V. Taylor, Jr., Master; W. M. Lineberger, S. W.; H. M. Sedberry, proxy for J. W.
Stokes	No.	32—L. T. Hartsell, Jr., proxy for Master; G. H. Hendrix, proxy for S. W.; H. G. Gibson, proxy for J. W.
Davie	No.	39—Campbell Hoggard, proxy for Officers.
Hiram	No.	40—Roy R. Pool, Master; Ross Shumaker, S. W.; Jas. L. Murphy, J. W.
Liberty	No.	45—Ed. Crysel, Master; R. S. Miller, S. W.; Kyle Hayes, proxy for J. W.
Concord	No.	58—J. G. Raby, Master; J. H. Brown, S. W.; J. L. Peacock, J. W.
Perseverance	No.	59—E. H. Liverman, Master, and proxy for S. W. and J. W.
Greensboro	No.	76—Early W. Bridges, S. W.
Lafayette	No.	83—J. R. Gurganus, proxy for Officers.
Morning Star	No.	85—D. W. Perry, Master; J. J. Joyner, proxy for Wardens.
Skewarkee	No.	90—S. H. Grimes, Master, and proxy for S. W. and J. W.
Joseph Warren	No.	92—A. R. Darden, proxy for Master; L. A. Gardner, proxy for S. W.; R. A. Gardner, proxy for J. W.
Hiram	No.	98—Paul D. Peterson, Master; B. A. Sutton, S. W.; T. H. King, proxy for J. W.
Fulton	No.	99—J. L. Sowers, Master; C. W. Still, S. W.; J. L. Menius, proxy for J. W.
Warren	No.	101—W. R. Gooding, Master; R. D. Johnson, proxy for S. W.; A. J. Blanton, J. W.

Poland.....	P. G. Renninger.....	Winston-Salem
Prince Edward Island.....	A. S. Chesson.....	Wilson
Quebec.....	Jeff L. Nelson.....	Morganton
Queensland.....	J. W. Payne.....	Salisbury
Republic of Guatemala.....	J. Giles Hudson.....	Salisbury
Roumania.....	Frank I. Watson.....	Raleigh
Scotland.....	W. R. Smith.....	Raleigh
South Australia.....	C. B. Newcomb.....	Wilmington
Tasmania.....	W. H. White.....	Sanford
Uruguay.....	M. C. Alexander.....	Charlotte
U. S. of Venezuela.....	R. K. McNeely.....	Mooresville
Victoria.....	H. Kauffman.....	Raleigh
Western Australia.....	John J. Phoenix.....	Greensboro

ASSISTANT GRAND LECTURERS

J. F. Marquette Jeff L. Nelson J. W. Patton P. C. Stott.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

We were pleased to have the following Distinguished Visitors, who were introduced and received with Masonic Grand Honors:

- M. I. T. Troy Wyche, Grand Master, R. & S. M. of N. C.
- M. E. Luther T. Hartsell, Jr., Grand High Priest of R. A. M. of N. C.
- R. E. James W. Payne, Grand Commander of K. T. of N. C.
- M. W. Otto B. Roepke, Grand Master of District of Columbia.
- M. W. L. P. Harrell, Grand Master of Virginia.
- M. W. Joseph E. Hart, Grand Master of South Carolina.
- R. W. James M. Clift, Grand Secretary of Virginia.
- R. W. O. Frank Hart, Grand Secretary of South Carolina.

Letters of sympathy were ordered sent to Past Grand Masters Francis D. Winston, J. Bailey Owen, Henry A. Grady and E. W. Timberlake, who were absent because of sickness.

REPORT OF CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

The report of the Credentials Committee showed the following representatives present:

- St. John's.....No. 1—David A. Brown, Master; F. D. Fick, S. W.; Wm. E. Hand, proxy for J. W.
- Royal White Hart...No. 2—Elliot B. Clark, Master, and proxy for Officers.

White Stone	No. 155—	J. V. Privette, Master; Hubert Ed- dins, proxy for S. W.; D. D. Cham- blee, proxy for J. W.
Knap of Reeds	No. 158—	M. C. Dunn, Master; E. T. Man- gum, proxy for S. W.; W. H. Cherry, J. W.
Winston	No. 167—	Watt Hutcherson, Master, and proxy for S. W. and J. W.
Buffalo	No. 172—	L. L. Thomas, proxy for Officers.
Geo. Washington	No. 174—	N. J. Wilson, Master; J. R. Mat- hews, S. W.; L. J. Wilson, J. W.
Fair Bluff	No. 190—	J. M. Turner, Master; M. A. Wad- dell, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
Cary	No. 198—	Dr. J. P. Hunter, proxy for Officers.
Cleveland	No. 202—	H. C. Wilson, Master; Geo. A. Hoyle, proxy for S. and J. W.
Roanoke	No. 203—	R. T. Daniel, proxy for Master; J. J. Willey, proxy for S. and J. W.
Mingo	No. 206—	W. R. Warren, proxy for Officers.
Mt. Olive	No. 208—	Allen B. Andrews, Master; Floyd A. Andrews, S. W.; Raymond Hol- lowell, J. W.
Eno	No. 210—	H. W. Pickett, Master; C. W. Lowe, S. W.; J. Marvin Mangum, proxy for J. W.
Thomasville	No. 214—	Geo. L. Hundley, proxy for Officers.
Ca'awba Valley	No. 217—	R. S. Ragan, Master, and proxy for S. W. and J. W.
Wm. G. Hill	No. 218—	J. E. Briggs, Master; Richard D. Turner, S. W.; Wm. D. Martin, J. W.
Wilson	No. 226—	W. W. Holland, proxy for Officers.
Henderson	No. 229—	Charlton DuRant, Jr., proxy for Of- ficers.
Corinthian	No. 230—	J. B. Barnes, Master; Lee Padget, S. W., and proxy for J. W.
William T. Bain	No. 231—	W. R. Middleton, proxy for Wardens.
Mystic Tie	No. 237—	R. V. McGimsey, J. W. and proxy for Master and S. W.
Grifton	No. 243—	R. S. Hamilton, proxy for Master and J. W.; J. H. Barwick, proxy for S. W.
Catawba	No. 248—	Joseph Erbesfield, proxy for Offi- cers.
Pythagoras	No. 249—	R. I. Mintz, Master; C. Ed. Taylor, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
Lee	No. 253—	A. N. Moffett, Master; Wm. White, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
Fuquay	No. 258—	E. R. Moore, proxy for Officers.
Waynesville	No. 259—	T. Troy Wyche, proxy for Officers.

Orr	No. 104	Jas. F. Duke, Master; M. F. McKeel, Jr., proxy for Wardens.
Perquimans	No. 106	Ernest W. Lordley, proxy for Officers.
Franklin	No. 109	J. R. Jinnett, proxy for Master; W. H. Bailey, S. W.; C. R. Wheatley, proxy for J. W.
Wayne	No. 112	S. F. Teague, Master; Lester H. Gilliken, S. W.; R. S. McKenzie, J. W.
Person	No. 113	D. R. Taylor, Master; Henry T. Gates, proxy for S. W.; J. W. Montague, Jr., proxy for J. W.
St. Alban's	No. 114	R. T. Allen, proxy for Master; D. T. Lambeth, Jr., S. W.; Robt. Weinstein, proxy for J. W.
Holly Springs	No. 115	D. A. Baker, Master.
Mt. Lebanon	No. 117	A. S. Chesson, proxy for Master; M. Saliba, proxy for Wardens.
Mt. Hermon	No. 118	H. G. Etheridge, proxy for Officers.
Oxford	No. 122	Geo. E. Cheatham, proxy for Master; G. B. Summers, S. W.; J. P. Hunt, proxy for J. W.
Gatesville	No. 126	G. D. Gatling, Master; W. T. Cross, proxy for S. W.; R. S. Boyce, proxy for J. W.
Hanks	No. 128	W. L. Grimsley, Master, and proxy for S. W. and J. W.
Radiance	No. 132	A. B. Alderman, Master; proxy for S. W.; H. S. Grantham, proxy for J. W.
Mocksville	No. 134	E. W. Junker, Master, proxy for Wardens.
Leaksville	No. 136	S. L. Lawson, Master; W. W. Gwynn, S. W.; J. B. Carter, J. W.
Lincoln	No. 137	S. W. Cashion, Master; E. L. Rudisill, proxy for S. W.; A. B. Rhyne, proxy for J. W.
Mt. Vernon	No. 143	Jesse S. Phillips, proxy for Officers.
Cherokee	No. 146	J. C. Hembree, Master; W. A. Hembree, proxy for Senior and Junior Wardens.
Palmyra	No. 147	Jas. W. O'Dell, Master.
Adoniram	No. 149	J. U. Teague, proxy for Officers.
Sanford	No. 151	W. H. White, Master; Geo. G. Chiles, S. W.; H. M. Wagoner, J. W.
Scotch-Ireland	No. 154	A. G. Etheridge, Master; C. H. Wetmore, proxy for S. W.; A. W. Watson, J. W.

Snow	No. 363	A. D. Wilson, Master; R. E. Kelley, proxy for Wardens.
Gastonia	No. 369	Chas. H. Pugh, proxy for Officers.
Granville	No. 380	C. D. Davis, Master, and proxy for S. W. and J. W.
Reidsville	No. 384	F. Eugene Hester, proxy for Officers.
Kedron	No. 387	J. E. Shipman, proxy for Officers.
Mooresboro	No. 388	R. G. Burrus, Master; D. C. Wright, proxy for Senior and Junior Wardens.
Orient	No. 395	Chas. W. Boyette, Master; B. T. Hopkins, proxy for S. W. and J. W.
Bald Creek	No. 397	L. C. Buckner, Master; S. P. Randolph, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
Siler City	No. 403	T. L. Smith, Master; W. E. Sharpe, proxy for S. W.; T. H. Grimes, J. W.
Denton	No. 404	D. G. Smith, proxy for Officers.
No. Wilkesboro	No. 407	J. W. Nichols, proxy for Master; T. C. Caudill, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
University	No. 408	S. A. Nathan, Master; Sol. Lipman, proxy for S. W.; R. H. Marks, J. W.
Bula	No. 409	E. N. Pearce, Master; J. V. Simpson, proxy for S. W.; G. P. Harris, J. W.
Maxton	No. 417	F. H. Parrish, S. W., and proxy for Master and S. W.
Relief	No. 431	Robie D. Porter, Master; W. F. Smith, S. W.; Dudley Norris, proxy for J. W.
Biscoe	No. 437	A. T. Munn, proxy for Officers.
Marietta	No. 444	D. E. Whitehead, Master; S. E. Leonard, proxy for S. W.; V. C. Marley, J. W.
Biltmore	No. 446	C. J. Huff, Master, and proxy for S. W.; A. J. Creasman, J. W.
Enfield	No. 447	C. D. Graham, Master; Edward Meyer, S. W.; E. K. Neville, J. W.
Ashler	No. 451	W. M. Greer, proxy for Master; A. F. Nichols, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
Clyde	No. 453	C. R. Mahaffey, proxy for Officers.
Matthews	No. 461	J. W. Rowell, proxy for Officers.
Currituck	No. 463	M. W. Morrisette, proxy for Officers.
Crumpler	No. 467	B. H. Shepherd, Master, and proxy for S. and J. Wardens.

- Excelsior ----- No. 261—S. H. Goldfein, Mas'er; R. A. M. Deal, S. W.; H. C. Hull, J. W.
- Hibriten ----- No. 262—R. L. Bradley, proxy for Master; J. B. Benard, S. W.; P. O. Grist, proxy for J. W.
- Dunn's Rock ----- No. 267—A. G. Kyle, Master, and proxy for S. W. and J. W.
- Green Level ----- No. 277—T. C. Council, Master, and proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
- Wake Forest ----- No. 282—C. S. Black, Master; Lawrence Harris, S. W.; T. M. Arrington, proxy for J. W.
- Eureka ----- No. 283—Roy E. Mills, J. W., and proxy for Master and S. W.
- Greenville ----- No. 284—A. W. Harris, proxy for Master; T. I. Moore, S. W.; J. S. Willard, J. W.
- Salem ----- No. 289—Felix T. Adams, Master; Chas. S. Kimel, proxy for S. W.; Gilbert H. Robertson, J. W.
- Aurora ----- No. 300—J. A. Bonner, proxy for Officers.
- Lillington ----- No. 302—C. S. Loving, S. W., proxy for Master; W. D. Reynolds, J. W.
- Laurinburg ----- No. 305—R. E. Yongue, Jr., proxy for Master and S. W.; C. J. Marsh, proxy for J. W.
- Raeford ----- No. 306—T. B. Lester, Master, and proxy for Wardens.
- Hatcher ----- No. 310—J. D. Eatman, S. W.; L. H. Boykin, proxy for Master, and G. T. Manning, proxy for J. W.
- Wilmington ----- No. 319—R. J. Holliday, Master; David J. Padrick, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
- Selma ----- No. 320—J. O. Creech, Master; Sam Jones, S. W.; W. L. Etheridge, J. W.
- Bayboro ----- No. 331—J. C. Wiley, proxy for S. W.; T. G. Leary, J. W.
- Fair View ----- No. 339—J. A. Walker, proxy for Officers.
- Harmony ----- No. 340—P. B. Scott, proxy for Master; L. R. Worrell, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
- Hickory ----- No. 343—W. C. Corey, Master, and proxy for Officers.
- Numa F. Reid ----- No. 344—R. K. Stewart, proxy for Master; G. W. Clark, S. W., proxy for J. W.
- Stanly ----- No. 348—G. S. Moore, Master; A. B. Camp, S. W.; R. A. Lowder, proxy for J. W.
- Durham ----- No. 352—H. M. Brown, proxy for Master; A. V. Cole, S. W.; S. J. Angier, J. W.

Corinthian	No. 542	T. Settle Graham, Jr., Master, and proxy for Wardens.
Spencer	No. 543	A. G. Smith, Master; W. B. Eller, S. W.; G. W. Miller, proxy for J. W.
Elon	No. 549	J. W. Patton, Master, and proxy for Wardens.
Revolution	No. 552	Joe T. Carruthers, Jr., Master, and proxy for S. W.; D. W. Lambert, proxy for J. W.
Vesper	No. 554	F. B. Fortner, S. W., and proxy for Master; E. A. Scott, J. W.
Tabor	No. 563	Hartford Fowler, Master; Oscar Hattaway, proxy for Wardens.
Wendell	No. 565	P. C. Stott, proxy for Master; J. T. Allen, proxy for S. W.; E. T. Boyette, J. W.
Doric	No. 568	F. H. Foster, Master; F. R. Sutton, proxy for S. W.; C. H. Barrow, J. W.
Mt. Pleasant	No. 569	T. A. Griffin, Master; Clarence Glover, S. W.; M. A. Finch, J. W.
Snow Creek	No. 571	T. Ward Guy, S. W., and proxy for Master and J. W.
Andrew Jackson	No. 576	S. P. Purvis, Master; W. T. Russell, proxy for S. W.; J. O. Clamp, J. W.
Apex	No. 584	O. S. Allen, Master; L. G. Jordan, proxy for J. W.
Bethel	No. 589	E. O. Burroughs, Jr., S. W.; W. J. Smith, J. W.
Helton	No. 594	Grant Bauguess, J. W., and proxy for Officers.
Wallace	No. 595	H. McN. Johnson, proxy for Officers.
Cranberry	No. 598	S. D. Nester, proxy for Officers.
Queen City	No. 602	A. R. Dickson, Master; W. E. Batts, J. W.
Zebulon	No. 609	W. B. Bunn, Master; G. M. Conn, S. W.
Atkinson	No. 612	J. S. Pope, Master, and proxy for Wardens.
Home	No. 613	F. M. Watson, proxy for Officers.
John H. Mills	No. 624	R. C. Ausborn, Master; R. T. Renn, S. W.; B. A. Newton, J. W.
Cannon Memorial	No. 626	W. M. Wilhelm, S. W., and proxy for Master and J. W.
Francis S. Packard	No. 630	J. L. Overby, Master; W. C. Wilson, proxy for S. W.
Goldsboro	No. 634	R. L. Ginn, proxy for Master; F. P. Parker, Jr., S. W.; J. C. Pate, proxy for J. W.

Mill Creek	No. 480	John J. Langston, proxy for Officers.
Trap Hill	No. 483	D. B. Swaringen, proxy for Master; D. C. Castevens, proxy for S. and J. Wardens.
Southern Pines	No. 484	R. L. Chandler, proxy for Officers.
Lawndale	No. 486	E. D. Bridges, S. W., and proxy for Master and J. W.
Statesville	No. 487	John M. Carson, Master; Latta Johnson, S. W.
Rich Square	No. 488	N. L. Turner, Master, and proxy for S. and J. W.
Hominy	No. 491	W. A. Robbins, proxy for Officers.
Thos. M. Holt	No. 492	W. Ernest Thompson, Master; Jas. S. Cook, proxy for Wardens.
Pilot	No. 493	W. P. Henley, J. W., and proxy for Master and S. W.
Mooresville	No. 496	Roy K. McNeely, proxy for Wardens; F. J. Jones, Master.
Royal Hart	No. 497	B. C. Nicholson, proxy for Master; T. C. Qualls, S. W.; W. F. Williams, J. W.
Ayden	No. 498	H. G. Mumford, Master; A. W. Hardy, proxy for Wardens.
Creedmoor	No. 499	W. J. Holmes, Master; E. K. Allen, S. W.; W. S. Hobgood, J. W.
Raleigh	No. 500	J. C. Brantley, Jr., Master; Royal C. Stephenson, S. W.; Joel C. Thompson, J. W.
Red Springs	No. 501	James Owens, S. W.; J. L. Duncan, J. W.
Whetstone	No. 515	A. W. Kincaid, Master; L. G. Ryan, proxy for S. W.; O. M. Vernon, proxy for J. W.
Farmville	No. 517	J. T. Bundy, proxy for Officers.
Pendleton	No. 524	Otis Ricks, proxy for Master and J. W.; Clifton A. Davis, S. W.
Lucama	No. 527	J. K. Blake, Master; and proxy for Wardens.
Andrews	No. 529	Clyde H. Jarrett, proxy for Officers.
Joppa	No. 530	G. P. Kerr, Master; P. L. Leonard, J. W.
Hamlet	No. 532	B. E. Shealy, Master; E. B. Gunter, S. W.; A. G. Powers, J. W.
Camp Call	No. 534	E. G. Weathers, Master; Ivey Whisnant, proxy for S. W.; L. T. Warlick, proxy for J. W.
Parkton	No. 541	L. M. Powell, S. W. and proxy for Master; D. C. Proctor, J. W.

dictions have answered the summons of our Supreme Grand Master and have joined that endless caravan to the "country from whose bourne no traveler returns."

The Grim Reaper has not "passed over" our Jurisdiction. Our beloved friend and Brother C. M. Vanstory, Past Grand Treasurer, entered into his eternal inheritance on the 21st day of July, 1935.

We mourn the departure of our brethren and former associates, and suitable memorials of our affection and esteem for them will be presented by the Committee on Necrology and special committees.

Let us now pause a moment in our deliberations, to honor their memory.

VISITATIONS

In company with our Grand Secretary I attended the annual communications of the Grand Lodge of Delaware, on October 2nd, 1935; the Grand Lodge of Virginia, on February 11th, 1936; and the Grand Lodge of South Carolina, on March 11th, 1936. In each Grand Jurisdiction we were graciously received and delightfully entertained.

To me the outstanding and the most delightful feature of my year's work has been the official privilege and personal pleasure of visiting our subordinate lodges and greeting the brethren. I have officially visited 81 lodges; 49 of which were visited during our District Meetings.

I record my gratitude for the warm friendship and the generous reception at the hands of my brethren, and it was with sincere regret that I could not accept all of the invitations extended to me.

SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS

On October 15, 1935, a special communication of the Grand Lodge was held at Salisbury, N. C., for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of Rowan Memorial Hospital. Approximately 3,000 citizens attended these ceremonies.

Yadkin Falls	No. 637—	D. S. Littleton, Master; W. F. Sanders, proxy for S. W.; W. H. Davis, proxy for J. W.
Richlands	No. 638—	Frank M. Beacham, J. W., proxy for Master and S. W.
John A. Nichols	No. 650—	Walter L. Pfaff, Master; F. W. Starnes, S. W.; S. S. Fay, J. W.
Black River	No. 652—	A. D. Wilson, Master; J. P. Jones, S. W., and proxy for J. W.
Keller Memorial	No. 657—	P. J. Lyerly, Master; R. W. Brown, S. W. and proxy for J. W.
Beulaville	No. 658—	J. C. Gresham, proxy for Officers.
West Asheville	No. 665—	A. E. Dunn, Master, and proxy for Officers.
N. C. Lodge Res'rch	No. 666—	J. Edward Allen, Master; J. Ray. Shute, proxy for Wardens.
Fort Bragg	No. 667—	C. W. Scarborough, proxy for Officers.
Holland Memorial	No. 668—	F. C. Abernathy, proxy for Officers.
Kernersville	No. 669—	T. O. Wright, proxy for Officers.
Lovelady	No. 670—	John Pons, proxy for Master; Frank Pascal, proxy for Wardens.

The Grand Master made the following report which was referred to the Board of General Purposes:

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

MY BRETHREN: Our pulses quicken when we meet and greet old familiar friends, likewise we are made happy in making new friends. There are many present to-night who have rendered faithful and unselfish service to this Grand Lodge for many years, and there are also present many who take their places among us for the first time. Greetings and a hearty welcome to each of you, my Brethren.

By your generous suffrage one year ago, the gavel of authority was placed in my hands. With a profound sense of gratitude and with a full appreciation of the responsibilities of this high office, I accepted it.

It now becomes my duty to render a report to you of my stewardship.

FRATERNAL DEAD

Many of our brethren in this and other Grand Juris-

(1) The removal of Henry F. Grainger Lodge, No. 412, from Dabney, N. C., to Salem Cross Roads, N. C.

(2) The removal of Linville Lodge, No. 489, from Montezuma, N. C., to Newland, N. C.

(3) The removal of Cranberry Lodge, No. 598, from Cranberry, N. C., to Elk Park, N. C.

The consent of all lodges whose jurisdiction would be affected by these changes has been given, and I have consented to those changes under Regulation 141, but the Grand Lodge must give its approval before the changes may become effective.

ORDERS

On May 1, 1935, I commissioned W. Brother Harrison Kauffman, D. D. G. M., to install W. Brother Harvey A. Cox, as Grand Chaplain; this was done in Hiram Lodge, No. 40, at Raleigh, N. C., on May 6, 1935.

On October 31, 1935, I issued the following ruling and order interpreting Section 151 (6) of our Code:

October 31, 1935.

To the Masters, Wardens, and Members of the Subordinate Lodges of this Grand Jurisdiction:

BRETHREN:

In Re: Section 151 (6) Page 94 of the Code of 1924 as Amended in 1927.

Owing to recent legislation, both Federal and State, permitting the sale of "intoxicating liquor" and "beer" to be used as a beverage, many inquiries have been received by me which require a ruling on both subjects as they may be related to Masonic law in North Carolina.

I undertake to deal with each of these subjects separately as there is a clearly defined line of distinction between them.

The Code of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina of 1924 as amended in 1927, Sec. 151 (6) is the present Masonic law in this Grand Jurisdiction relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors. I quote the section for convenient reference:

"Sec. 151 (6) (a) This Grand Lodge expressly declares the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors in violation of the laws of North Carolina or of the United States of America, including sales by all persons engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors to be used as a beverage, whether permitted by the laws of North

A special communication was held on November 15, 1935, at Raleigh, N. C., to lay the cornerstone of Rex Hospital.

DISPENSATIONS

A very large number of requests have been received for dispensations to elect and install officers under the provision of Section 82 of the Code and the dispensations were granted in each case strictly in accord with that section of the law.

I have refused to grant any dispensations to hold elections of officers before the date of the annual communication of the lodge applying; also I have refused dispensations for that purpose the applications for which were made before the annual communication of such lodges, requiring the applications to be made after the lodges had failed to meet in annual communication.

I have approved a number of resignations of installed officers strictly in accord with Section 86 of the Code; I have granted dispensations for elections and installations to fill the vacancies thus created, also to fill vacancies created by the death of several officers.

I have refused a dispensation for a lodge to vote on a petition for the degrees and an application for membership at a special communication, referring in each case to Section 121 of the Code.

After a careful investigation and in strict compliance with Section 81 of the Code, I granted a dispensation for Brother O. W. Hale, who had been elected Master of Charity Lodge, No. 5, at Windsor, N. C., but who had not served as a Warden, to be installed as Master. The correspondence in this case will be given to the proper committee.

LODGES CHANGING MEETING PLACES

I lay before the Grand Lodge for its consideration all the correspondence relating to the change of meeting places of the following lodges and I recommend that the changes be approved: as provided for in Regulation 141.

whose services are necessary or required in, the selling of such liquors to be used as a beverage, and whether or not such persons are members of an agency of civil government or employed by such agency, and whether or not such sales by such agency or employee are authorized or permitted by the laws of North Carolina or otherwise. Excluded, however, from this definition and ruling are all persons who are engaged *solely and exclusively* as law enforcement officers in the enforcement of any law of North Carolina or the United States of America or any rule or regulation made pursuant to any such law, although such enforcement officers may be appointed by and answerable to a board of control as mentioned above.

ITEM II

SALE OF BEER

The sale of "beer" is considered as a separate subject in this ruling as it is not identical with the subject "intoxicating liquors" although it is related to it. The lawmakers, the courts, and the citizenship at large have not been able to arrive at any definite conclusion as to the exact volume of alcohol necessary to make "beer" an intoxicating liquor when used as a beverage, nor have they arrived at a specific judgment as to what volume of the liquid must be consumed at any given time to constitute its "use as a beverage".

I cannot find as a fact that *all* "beer", or that the "beer" permitted to be sold by virtue of the present statute law, is or is not "intoxicating liquor". By virtue of the present statute law the sale of *certain kinds of* "beer" is not a civil offense, and such beer may not be in fact intoxicating liquor, consequently the sale is not *ipso facto* a Masonic offense. It therefore becomes a question of *fact* to be determined from the conditions in each case, judged by practical experience and common knowledge.

I have always felt that the subordinate lodges are thoroughly capable of taking care of their interests, that they are best prepared and should be the first to do so, ever remembering that it is also their particular duty to protect the interests of Masonry in general. I confidently believe that the solution of this question as it relates to the sale of "beer" can be safely left within the jurisdiction of each lodge, where the facts of each case in all details may be more readily determined, for the reason that each lodge and each member of the Craft is fully provided with all necessary authority, and the means of exercising it, whereby to deal with members, petitions, and applicants in full accord with the principles of the Order, its laws, and customs; and their action or inaction is always subject to review by the Grand Master and by the Grand Lodge.

Carolina or otherwise, a Masonic offense and the penalty, upon a conviction thereof, shall be expulsion; and on the trial of a Mason accused thereof the record of conviction in the State or Federal Courts, or a certified copy thereof, shall be competent evidence and prima facie proof of guilt, but evidence upon trials under this section shall not be limited to such record as evidence.

“(b) The Grand Lodge further declares that hereafter no lodge shall knowingly receive or act upon the petition of a profane who may at the date of said petition be engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors, excepting, however, pharmacists and physicians who are legally manufacturing or selling liquor under a permit issued under the laws of North Carolina, or of the United States of America”.

ITEM 1

SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS TO BE USED AS A BEVERAGE

The words “intoxicating liquors” as used in Sec. 151 (6 a-b) are hereby defined to include all distilled or fermented liquors, by whatever name, containing alcohol in sufficient quantity, which from common knowledge and experience when used as a beverage, are IN FACT intoxicating.

It is generally admitted and accepted—determined from long experience and common knowledge, and evidenced by Statute laws and Court decisions—that brandy, whiskey, wine, rum, gin, champagne (and decoctions and mixtures of the same, and other liquors in a great variety of names) are IN FACT intoxicating when used as a beverage, therefore those specifically named above are hereby defined to be “intoxicating liquors” within the meaning of said Sec. 151 (6), the sale of which is *ipso facto* a Masonic offense under that section. However, this specific designation by name is not intended to exclude other liquors not herein specifically named, which may be *in fact* intoxicating when used as a beverage, as may be determined by experience and common knowledge.

The phrase, “including sales by all persons engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors to be used as a beverage, whether permitted by the laws of North Carolina or otherwise”, as used in said section is hereby defined to include all persons who are “engaged in” the sale of *such liquors* (hereinbefore defined as “intoxicating liquors” to be used as a beverage) whether or not such persons are authorized or such sales are permitted by the laws of North Carolina, or otherwise, and whether or not they *actually handle* the article in a sale and receive the purchase price therefor; including all persons by whose direction, supervision, or authority, or under whose direct employment such *sales* are made; such as members of boards of control authorized or permitted by the civil law to SELL such liquors, managers of stores in which such liquors are sold, store clerks and other employees by whatever name they may be designated who are connected with or engaged in, and

to these matters will be placed before the appropriate committee.

I have made the following decisions:

DECISION No. 1

QUESTION: "A member of X lodge is accused of un-Masonic conduct and charges have been preferred against him. Can he be denied the right to attend the communications of his own lodge between the time the complaint is filed and the time of the trial?"

ANSWER: No, he may not be denied the right to attend his own lodge. Although accused of un-Masonic conduct, a member is presumed to be innocent until he is proven guilty, and he is entitled to all the rights and benefits arising out of, or incident to, his membership in his lodge, until such time as he had been found guilty, after due trial. A member is not a "visitor" in his own lodge.

(2) He may be denied the right to visit another lodge (other than his own) under Section 95 of the Code, if that lodge, or any member thereof, should object.

DECISION No. 2

QUESTION: "If a brother is summoned to appear at a stated time and place to show cause why he should not be suspended for non-payment of dues, the time comes, and the brother fails to appear. Can this be carried over until the next regular communication and suspend him at that time?"

ANSWER: At the stated communication to which the brother has been summoned to appear, the lodge must take some definite action. Section 101 of the Code provides three things it may do. (1) It may excuse him from the payment of such dues; (2) may grant him a *definite* time in which to pay them; (3) or it may suspend him for non-payment thereof.

If the lodge fails to do either of these things at the stated communication to which the brother has been summoned, it loses the force and effect of its summons.

ITEM III

GENERAL RULES

The following general rules will materially aid the officers and members of the Craft in solving many questions that arise out of the rapidly changing conditions associated with the sale of intoxicating liquors to be used as a beverage:

1. Wherein the statute law expressly permits certain conduct, or is silent as to it, Masons are bound to obey the moral law and to observe the lessons and duties inculcated in the several degrees, and we are especially charged to preserve the reputation of the fraternity unsullied. This should be our constant care.

2. Wherein the statute law prohibits or commands certain conduct, Masons, in obedience to their duties as good citizens in support of civil government, should obey.

3. Wherein the statute laws permits certain conduct, and the Masonic law prohibits that conduct, then the Mason must obey the Masonic law as to that course of conduct.

4. If in conducting any business, in pursuing *any* profession or vocation a Mason conducts himself, his business, his profession, or his vocation in such a manner as to bring reproach upon his lodge and shame upon the Order, he would for these reasons and notwithstanding the statute law be guilty of a Masonic offense.

5. A Mason's conduct in general and at all times should be such as not to bring discredit upon the Order or to degrade it in the estimation of good people.

ITEM IV

In deference to the conscientious opinion of a substantial number of our brethren and in the interest of harmony, an essential element in our organization, the serving of ale, beer or intoxicating liquor in any Masonic Hall, or in the dining, refreshment, or other rooms connected therewith, or at any gathering of Masons in the name of Masonry is hereby forbidden.

These rulings shall be read at the first stated communication of each lodge held after they are received, and shall be observed by all officers and members of the Craft in this Grand Jurisdiction until the next Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina.

Fraternally yours,

CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, *Grand Master*.

DECISIONS

Many inquiries seeking advice on Masonic law have been answered by reference to the Code or to the Decisions heretofore made. All of the correspondence relating

self and ask for a demit. Can he do this? If so, what would his status then be as to the violation of the Code?"

ANSWER: (a) Brother "A" has the right to apply for reinstatement under Section 104 of the Code and if he is entitled to "automatic" reinstatement as therein provided, it cannot be refused.

(b) If he has committed a Masonic offense for which he should be tried, he should not be granted a demit. See Regulation 203, page 80 of the Code.

(c) The status of a demitted Mason is no different from that of a Mason suspended for any cause, so far as being subject to charges and trial for un-Masonic conduct. (Sec. 154 Code; Decision 877, Andrews' Digest).

DECISION No. 6

QUESTION: (a) "We have a brother here who has been suspended for non-payment of dues.

(b) "Since he was suspended he has been and is still engaged in selling intoxicating liquor in the A. B. C. Store recently established here.

(c) "Would we under the Masonic law prefer charges and cite him to trial before the Lodge?"

ANSWER: (a) A non-affiliated Mason still remains subject to the government of the Order and may be tried and punished for any Masonic offense, by the Lodge within whose particular jurisdiction he resides. (Section 154, Code: Decisions 877 and 884, Andrews Digest). The Lodge has the right and it is its duty to prefer charges against them for un-Masonic conduct (Section 88 (10) Page 44, Code), and at all times act promptly and firmly to protect the good name of Masonry.

(b) A member suspended for non-payment of dues (therefore a non-affiliated Mason) employed in an Alcoholic Beverage Control Store and who is engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquor to be used as a beverage, commits a Masonic offense under Section 151 (6-a) of the Code and is subject to trial for un-Masonic conduct. If convicted the penalty is expulsion as defined in that Section and in Regulation 213, page 94 of the Code.

To maintain the force and effect of its summons, the lodge must act at the stated communication to which the brother has been summoned and grant him a *definite* extension to a subsequent stated communication, at which time it may then act in any of the three ways provided for in Section 101.

DECISION No. 3

QUESTION: "Charges were preferred against a member for un-Masonic conduct: which were served on him personally on December 7th. On December 10th the member had a hearing before the court and was adjudged an inebriate and sent to the inebriate department at Dix Hill. Can this in any way stop the lodge from going ahead with the trial?"

ANSWER: Yes. An inebriate is generally defined to be "an habitual drunkard", and considered as mentally incompetent. The trial should be deferred until the accused has been discharged from the hospital. It is difficult to justify the trial of one mentally incompetent.

DECISION No. 4

QUESTION: "Is it a Masonic offense for a member of a Masonic lodge working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, to accept or work in the position of either Manager or Clerk in an A. B. C. Liquor Store that sells whiskey, gin, rum, and brandy; said store having been established under what is known as the Pasquotank Liquor Act; said act which was passed by our last General Assembly?"

ANSWER: Yes.

DECISION No. 5

QUESTION: "*Brother 'A'*, a former member of '*B*' Lodge who is now under suspension for non-payment of dues, is engaged in selling intoxicating liquors in the A. B. C. Store here. He has been waited on by our Reference Committee and informed that he is violating the Masonic Code of North Carolina in so doing, and he wishes to pay up his dues, automatically reinstate him-

our special summer communication at Oxford. This has been particularly noticeable for the past four years in the attendance upon the Grand Lodge; less than fifty brethren were in the lodge room at each of the last three summer communications.

I believe the time has come when we should discontinue the summer communications at Oxford in the interest of economy as well as to prevent the possibility of spreading communicable diseases among our children. A large group of people from everywhere assembled on the campus or moving about carelessly, is a source of potential danger to our children.

I therefore recommend that the St. John's Day Communication be discontinued.

LECTURE SERVICE

Our Custodians and Grand Lecturers have been persistent in their efforts to preserve the exact phraseology of our ritual because any change of words tends directly to produce a corresponding change of sense. The sense, without ambiguity or uncertainty, must be preserved. The best way to preserve the sense is always to use the same words in giving it expression. The laws, regulations, usages, and customs of the Fraternity depend to considerable extent upon the ritual. If the ritual undergoes any change, no matter how slight, that affects its construction or alters the sense, or leaves it in doubt, there is a probability that gross inconsistencies, disorder, and palpable absurdities will be the result.

I am well aware that no rule has been devised, and that we have no means to determine with unerring certainty or exactness the precise language that was used in olden times to narrate certain events or express certain ideas. We are dependent upon tradition, and tradition is dependent upon memory, and memory is defective. Yet, if an easy and natural construction of the ritual today necessitates conclusions which are not at variance with any of the ancient characteristics of the Institution, we may congratulate ourselves that the genius of Masonry resides among us and sheds the same light upon our

The fact that the Alcoholic Beverage Control Store, and the sale therein of intoxicating liquor to be used as a beverage, are all authorized and permitted by the laws of the State of North Carolina and the United States, does not modify or change the Masonic law as found in Section 151 (6) on this subject.

(c) Yes. However, he should be first advised and given an opportunity to set himself aright with Masonic law.

QUIT CLAIM DEED TO REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to the resolution adopted at the 1935 Annual Communication (Proceedings, page 67) authorizing the execution of a quit claim deed to certain property in the town of Wentworth, N. C., I report that the quit claim deed was executed on the 27th day of April, 1935, in conformity with the resolution.

ST. JOHN'S DAY COMMUNICATION

Owing to the prevalence of infantile paralysis in the State, especially in the Eastern and Central sections, I realized that a large gathering of people would be a source of potential danger in communicating this dread disease to our 375 children at the Orphanage; therefore I called off the usual ceremonies at Oxford last June.

For more than sixty years it has been a custom for the Grand Lodge to hold a special communication at Oxford on June 24. The custom developed during the horse and buggy days, when excursion trains were operated for the occasion. This event was practically the only opportunity our brethren and friends had to visit Oxford and see for themselves the excellent work being done there. Good roads, automobiles, and modern means of transportation were then unknown, and this one day in the year was "visitation" day.

Conditions are entirely different now. Not one day only but every day in the year there is a continual stream of visitors to our shrine of practical Masonry. This distribution of visitors throughout the year instead of one day in the year makes less important and less valuable

desire on the part of many of our brethren in conferring degrees, to demonstrate too freely their "playful instincts."

Masonry is not horse play. A degree should be conferred with such dignity and decorum as will impress indelibly upon the mind of the candidate the fact that the ceremony is not a "solemn mockery," but an exemplification of sublime truth, and designed to make him wiser and better and to give him a larger view of the Great Creator and His wonderful works.

It is utterly impossible to make a serious impression on a candidate who has been brought laughing to the door by friends who have spent their leisure time for weeks telling him that they will carry his mangled remains home on a shutter to his weeping wife and fatherless children—or something equally as absurd and ridiculous. Masonry is no joke. If a few of these self-appointed comedians were brought before the altar some night by a Master with the courage to do it, and given a good reprimand, it would materially benefit the Order. If we expect our new brethren to treat the lessons with seriousness, we also must treat them seriously.

The reports of the Board of Custodians and the Grand Lecturer will come before you for consideration, and I recommend that the present plan of lecture service be continued, and a sufficient sum be appropriated for that purpose.

MASONIC EDUCATION

Early in September, 1935, the Committee on Masonic Education under the chairmanship of Past Grand Master Roy F. Ebbs put in effect the plan adopted by the Grand Lodge in April, 1935.

This program, known as "The Lodge System of Masonic Education," has been very generally adopted by our lodges. Its ready acceptance by the Craft is the best evidence of its efficacy and of the fact that it supplies a real need in the work of Masonry in this Jurisdiction.

altars which illumined the minds and hearts of our brethren of many centuries ago.

The present plan of lecture service adopted by the Grand Lodge in 1933 has demonstrated its value and efficiency. This plan makes it possible for every lodge to comply with the Regulation 268. Not all of our lodges, nor the officers of our lodges, have taken advantage of the service offered to them by the Lecturers.

We have been very lenient heretofore with lodges, seldom rigidly enforcing penalties for violations of this Regulation; but rather treating such lodges with charity, as though they were not *wilfully* disobedient. I believe the time has come when the Grand Lodge should in a positive way require full compliance with this law.

Also, I believe the Grand Lodge should require each lodge that makes an engagement with a Grand Lecturer to keep the engagement and not cancel it, as has sometimes been done just a few days before the date the Lecturer expects to fulfill his part of the agreement. The entire schedule of the Lecturer is affected by such cancellations, and other lodges desiring his services are denied the opportunity because he cannot rearrange his schedule to meet their convenience; furthermore, the Lecturer suffers an unjustifiable financial loss.

I am gratified to report a degree of *uniformity* in ritualistic work in our Jurisdiction that has, perhaps, no parallel with any other Jurisdiction, for which we are indebted to the untiring zeal of our Board of Custodians and our Grand Lecturers.

Although the *uniformity* of our unwritten work is satisfactory, yet there is not a general diffusion among the Craft of a working knowledge of the ritual. This presents a problem yet to be solved. I submit to you that a reasonable knowledge of the ritual—enough to detect errors and to present a vivid and distinct picture of each degree—is necessary as a fundamental basis for our efforts in Masonic Education.

I also believe that we suffer to some extent from the

loss of time and heavy expense. Many troubles and difficulties occur in lodges that could be settled or prevented if a capable unprejudiced District Deputy, having authority, could be called in at once to counsel and advise in the matter. Even in lodges where there are well informed brethren, differences of opinion arise, and such is "Masonic pride of opinion", that each one adheres to his own opinion, and there the trouble begins. The advice of a District Deputy Grand Master would settle it and there would be peace. These small differences allowed to go on have in the past broken up many lodges that could have been saved. It should be imperatively required that the District Deputies be conversant with the work and qualified to supervise and instruct the lodges in law and procedure.

The excellent work of this body of officials justifies the wisdom of the Grand Lodge in creating the office. Much of the administrative work of our Fraternity is done by these unselfish brethren. It has been well said by my predecessors that they are the "key men" of our Grand Lodge.

Ten years' experience in that office gave me a good idea of the service that can be rendered by a District Deputy if he is given an objective and an opportunity to function. Also having experienced the difficulties, disappointments and discouragement with which these officers have to contend, I have been able to deal sympathetically with them.

At the beginning of the year I commissioned forty-one District Deputy Grand Masters. On October 11th, 1935, it became necessary for me to revoke the commission issued to the District Deputy Grand Master of the 16th District because of his failure to acknowledge official communications addressed to him and because of his failure to perform the specific duties of his office as directed.

In a very few instances I have been unable to get efficient service in the districts; but on the whole, and

This program needs further support and encouragement by the Grand Lodge officers and by the District Deputy Grand Masters in a considerable number of lodges that have not apparently appreciated the opportunity it affords for instruction in Masonic objectives.

I wish, here, to record my appreciation of the excellent accomplishments of our Committee on Masonic Education during the year.

A report of the committee will come before you for consideration.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

Districts were created to afford a better opportunity for lodges to cooperate more closely with each other; for members to gather in conference to study and debate the purposes of Masonry, and in such gatherings more generally to determine and spread the true aims and objectives of the Order; and to have a larger number of members from each lodge in the district become better acquainted with Masonic thought and with each other.

As supervisor and as an agent for helpfulness in these districts, the District Deputy Grand Master is appointed. As the personal representative of the Grand Master he is directly responsible to him. The District Deputy Grand Master sees, thinks, and talks Masonry, that is to say the fundamental ideals of Masonry. He has close touch with the *membership* of his district and is better equipped to present to his lodges a broad vision of opportunity in Masonic service and to inspire and encourage the lodges to accomplish most effectively the objectives of Masonry, the success of which will be measured by the participation of the greatest number of members. Through close touch with the membership, through expressions received from the brethren, and from his active participation in Masonic work, he should be able to convey to the Grand Master ideas worthy of recognition and presentation to the Grand Lodge.

It is impossible for the Grand Master to visit more than a small portion of the jurisdiction without great

MASONIC CODE AND ANDREWS' DIGEST

A number of important amendments and additions to our Constitution and Regulations have been made during the twelve years, since the Code was adopted in 1924. Many of our brethren who have neither the time nor the inclination to keep themselves posted on these changes are ignorant of the present laws. Likewise, there are many decisions that have the effect of law, adopted since the completion and publication of the second volume of Andrews' Digest, that are not readily available to the officers and members of our lodges.

I recommend that the Jurisprudence Committee give this matter careful consideration and that the Finance and Jurisprudence Committees provide for a revision of both the Code and Andrews' Digest.

RECLAMATION PROGRAM

The high rate of suspension for non-payment of dues, demissions, and losses because of arrested charters attracted my attention at the beginning of the summer. Taking account of the losses from the three causes named from June 30th, 1931, to December 31st, 1934 (3½ years), I found a total of approximately 10,700 non-affiliated Masons—about 8,000 S. N. P. D.; 1,500 demitted and 1,200 in defunct lodges.

I was convinced that there was a work to be done in this large group of men who were once affiliated Masons. I believed and still believe that a large number of them (not all of them) are worthy of membership and that many could be restored if properly approached. I brought this to the attention of the Craft in each District Meeting; outlined clearly the way to handle the problem, and urged the officers of our lodges to examine with care the possibility of reclaiming every worthy non-affiliated Mason. This was stressed especially with reference to those demitted, and to the large group made non-affiliated by arrest of charters, many of them ignorant of their non-affiliation and of the procedure for restoration.

from practically every one of the Deputies I have had complete cooperation.

The Grand Secretary and I had the pleasure and the privilege of attending forty-three District meetings between June 10th and September 28th, 1935, with a total of 288 lodges represented and with 2,898 brethren present. Every District Deputy held and presided over his meeting and two meetings were held in each of two Districts.

During these meetings forty-nine lodges were opened, and the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary were officially received.

Between January 15th and 31st, 1936, during the worst winter weather we have had in thirty years, twenty-nine Districts held Officers Conferences presided over by the District Deputies. Approximately 900 lodge officers attended these conferences.

Several Districts have held quarterly meetings for officers, and in one District a meeting is held bi-monthly.

I here record my appreciation of the faithful and loyal cooperation of my Deputies. I believe I am privileged to say that I have been able to share with them the credit of a year of unusual Masonic activity.

Pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Grand Lodge in 1935, a Deputy is allowed five cents per mile actually traveled for one official inspection of each lodge in his District and an appropriation of \$600 was made to cover this expense. The amount actually spent to April 1st, 1936, was \$450.27. I recommend that this allowance be continued, and an appropriation for 1936 of \$600.00 be made for this purpose, under the resolution that was effective in 1935.

From the reports received from twenty-seven of the forty District Deputies, it appears that the actual expense incurred by them in the performance of their duties during the past year was \$1,127.36.

quent officers—officers who are incapable, ignorant, or lazy; officers who take little if any interest in the business affairs of the lodge; officers who, perhaps, enjoy a combination of two or more of these common afflictions.

We have found instances of a deplorable lack of interest in the lodges, of illegal suspensions, and of other irregularities that tend to produce financial delinquency, which circumstances are directly traceable to the Masters or the Secretaries.

Without going into a lengthy discussion of the causes, or the probable causes of this condition, I recommend that the Grand Lodge create a *Lodge Service Commission*, empowered and directed to investigate each delinquent lodge, under such rules and with such powers as may be deemed proper, and to report in writing a finding of facts, in each case.

Such information and data as I may have on this subject will be given to the appropriate committee for its consideration.

DELINQUENT MEMBERS

One great incubus retarding the activities of many lodges is the wilful and disgraceful refusal of many members to pay their annual dues, *when amply able to do so*. This evil can be cured only by the lodges, and so long as they consent to endure this burden, they must abide by the consequences.

On the other hand, many of our brethren have been the victims of misfortune during the recent years. Some of them have succumbed; others, and I believe a larger number, concealing a heavy burden, have with manly courage pressed on in the struggle to support their families and to preserve their credit and good name. In this emergency the sympathy of those to whom they are bound by the mystic tie in a special manner, strengthens and sustains them in their trial, and this sympathy they should have in the fullest measure.

The imposition of the penalty of suspension in such cases is unjust. It were better that those of us who

The acceptance of this program by the Craft surpassed my highest hope, and we may expect to see its advantages during this and next year. This program is having also a very wholesome effect. It has brought home to our lodge officers the necessity for more careful examination of the reason for delinquency among their members and has created a new attitude in dealing with the whole question of suspensions.

This effort, if further supported by the Grand Lodge Officers and an active District Deputy Grand Masters' organization will, I believe, tend to solve one of our most serious problems.

In this connection I recommend that before a charter is arrested, a written notice be mailed to each member of the lodge, putting him on notice of the action about to be taken and advising him that such action will make him a non-affiliated Mason.

DELINQUENT LODGES

For the past several years the Grand Lodge has exercised a very lenient attitude toward our lodges that have been and are now delinquent in the payment of their indebtedness to the Grand Lodge. It is possible that this attitude of forbearance has been mistaken by some for a general policy on the part of the Grand Lodge and that it is to be continued indefinitely. No doubt this mistaken conception has been to some extent a contributing factor in bringing about the situation which now requires our attention.

Our delinquent lodges represent one of our major problems. We can solve this, as well as every problem that confronts us if we have a hearty good will to do so, and if we will give our best thought and earnest efforts to that end.

It is an axiom that the zeal, intelligence and ability of capable lodge officers are directly reflected in a fine expression of Masonic spirit and activity in their lodges. Conversely it may be said that as a general rule, delinquent lodges are the natural and direct products of delin-

Lodge at this time to provide remedial measures for this rapidly growing menace. Many of our lodges now have 10%, and several from 20% to 27% of their entire membership as life members, and these percentages will increase as other members qualify for this privilege under the automatic plan in their by-laws.

It is difficult to understand how a lodge charging the minimum, or near the minimum, dues can hope to meet its fixed financial obligations; do any appreciable amount of Masonic charity, and at the same time carry a heavy load of life members.

I recommend that the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence consider the whole subject of life membership and propose a regulation to deal with it. I will submit to that committee the results of my investigation.

MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION

Having attended the meeting of the Masonic Service Association in February, 1936, and observed the zeal of its officers and members to be of service to the Craft in every way possible, I can understand how difficult it is for one not in active contact with the work of the Association to evaluate properly its activities and the excellent service it is rendering to the Craft in our Nation. It is, in fact, just what its name implies—a *Masonic Service Association*. I would be ungrateful if I did not record here my appreciation of the aid I have received from the digests and other publications issued by the Association.

A report of our representatives will be laid before you for your consideration, and I recommend that a sufficient appropriation be made to continue our membership in this Association.

GEORGE WASHINGTON NATIONAL MASONIC MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

We should feel a keen sense of satisfaction in having had a substantial part in the erection of the magnificent memorial to George Washington in the city of Alexandria, Virginia.

have escaped this trial should be taxed a trifle beyond the average amount rather than that an injustice should be done at our hands to the humblest of our brethren earnestly struggling in the vortex of life's difficulties. Let it be understood that I am not making a positive assertion, but only a suggestion, that in the case of a larger number of members subjected to suspension for non-payment of dues, there may have been many cases of brethren who, had their true circumstances been known, would have been excepted from exclusion. This leads me to the suggestion that in our relations to each other as members of lodges, or of the Craft as a whole, we fail to cultivate that near friendship and regard for each other that ought especially to distinguish us as Masons. You will of course understand that no legislation is proposed on this subject; the appeal is to a higher and better feeling than is generally contained in a mere resolution, and I venture to believe that when under the influence of Masonic principles you give your attention to this subject, the cases of unjust suspensions will be rare indeed.

LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

The prevailing opinion seems to be that any provision in the by-laws of the lodge for life membership, is unwise and is fraught with danger. Especially if there is (1) a provision for automatic life membership upon completion of a specified number of years of continuous membership in the lodge; or (2) if the by-laws provide for complete exemption of the life member from all financial contribution toward the support of his lodge, or the support of Masonic work and charity.

A life membership based upon meritorious service is one thing, and an automatic life membership based solely upon continuous membership for a definite number of years is an entirely different proposition.

Several unsuccessful efforts have been made in the past to have the Grand Lodge provide a regulation on the subject. My investigation leads me to the conclusion that it would be wise and proper for the Grand

MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

It was my pleasure to preside at the meetings of the board of directors of this institution during the past year. I have seen the splendid work being done there, under the capable management of the directors; of Bro. George R. Bennette, Superintendent; and of his assistants. Those in charge of the Home are untiring in their efforts to make our "guests" happy and contented—this would be your highest desire for them. Brethren, we should have a deep sense of satisfaction in our work at the Home, where the rapidly approaching end of a toilsome journey is made more pleasant for our brethren and friends.

A report from the management will be placed before you, and I recommend that the most liberal appropriation consistent with our financial ability be made to the Home.

OXFORD ORPHANAGE

This splendid institution continues to perform the great work for which it was organized. It is deservedly ranked in the forefront of similar institutions in the South. Oxford Orphanage is termed by some in other Grand Jurisdictions the "brightest jewel of North Carolina Masonry." We are proud to admit that it is. No matter what other charitable or benevolent work we may undertake, the Oxford Orphanage will always have a prominent place in the hearts of the Fraternity. The care and protection of its youth and the fitting of young boys and girls for the duties and responsibilities of life will always be regarded as a sacred duty by an enlightened people.

It has been and now is the design and purpose of those in charge of Oxford Orphanage to rescue bereaved and unfortunate children from poverty-stricken and immoral surroundings and train them for the high duties of Christian citizenship. I know of no higher test of the spirit of brotherly love than the fidelity and devotion of the Masons of North Carolina to their children at Ox-

In company with our Grand Secretary and our official representative I attended the meeting of the George Washington National Memorial Association in February of this year and witnessed the enthusiasm of the representatives present and the determination of its leaders to complete the memorial in the near future.

Our representative to this Association will present his report for your consideration.

CONFERENCE OF GRAND MASTERS OF THE UNITED STATES

The Conference of Grand Masters of the United States held annually in Washington, D. C., continues to serve the purpose for which it was originally designed. In no sense a lawmaking or a rule-making body, it adheres strictly to the plan of discussing the more general problems of the Craft that effect all Grand Jurisdictions, with one objective only—that by a frank exchange of ideas and experiences, and in many cases of exhaustive and valuable research, a satisfactory solution of those general problems may be found; the results to be used or not used as each Grand Lodge may determine for itself.

There were present at the 1936 Conference from our Grand Jurisdiction, Past Grand Masters A. B. Andrews, H. M. Poteat, and John H. Anderson, our Grand Secretary; Brothers J. Edward Allen, Junior Grand Deacon; and Dr. J. L. Peacock, Past Grand Commander of Knights Templar.

I believe that the published proceedings of these Conferences contain such valuable data as to justify our making them more easily available for use by the editor of *The Orphans' Friend*, and also for use by the Committee on Masonic Education. The papers, carefully prepared by capable brethren, and the discussion in the Conferences on those papers lie embalmed in our library.

I suggest that we can find a definite and practical use for many of the papers to be found in these proceedings.

- (5) Estimate of Membership.
- (6) Nominations of Foreign Grand Lodges near the Grand Lodge of North Carolina.
- (7) Appointment of the Grand Representatives near other Grand Lodges.
- (8) Necrology report.

LOTTERIES AND GAMBLING DEVICES

The activities of bodies requiring the Symbolic Degrees as prerequisite, mediately or immediately, for membership therein fostering or conducting gambling devices or lotteries have not been called to the attention of this Grand Lodge before.

These activities have been carefully examined in several Grand Jurisdictions within the past two years, and the whole question thoroughly explored and such activities unanimously condemned.

The Conference of Grand Masters last February heard two excellent papers on the subject, one by Grand Master Claude L. Allen of Massachusetts, and one by Grand Master Hal C. McLoud of Illinois, both of these eminent brethren having had experience with these activities and having done considerable research in the preparation of their papers.

It was the unanimous opinion of the Grand Masters at the Conference that these activities should be condemned and the necessary action taken to prevent their continuance. I mention this only to emphasize the unanimity of opinion of Masonic leaders.

In presenting this subject I wish to be as brief as possible.

There is no difference between the legal meaning and the layman's conception of a lottery, "a scheme for the distribution of prizes by lot or chance."

In 1932 the United States Department of Justice at Washington, D. C., sent a communication to the heads of all fraternal organizations in the country stating in substance that it had come to the knowledge of that

ford. Today 375 boys and girls, under their protecting care, are receiving at the hands of a faithful Superintendent and his co-workers, the training and instruction of body, mind, and soul necessary to equip them for useful manhood and womanhood.

It is my personal pleasure, as well as my official privilege, to commend the efficient and faithful work of the Superintendent, Brother C. K. Proctor, and the other officials and co-laborers of Oxford Orphanage.

The reports of the Superintendent and other officials of the Orphanage have been printed for your information, and I recommend that the most liberal appropriation consistent with our financial ability be made for its maintenance.

THE ORPHANS' FRIEND

The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal deserves high praise and commendation. Its editorials are timely and well written. It is an invaluable medium of contact between our lodges and the membership at large. This Masonic publication deserves the support of every member of our Order, especially of the officers of our subordinate lodges.

As the official organ of the Grand Lodge the Grand Master finds it an invaluable means through which to convey his messages to the Craft. The Committee on Masonic Education could find no better way to keep its program before the membership than through the pages of this publication. I have received from Brother Frank M. Pinnix, its editor, complete and whole-hearted cooperation during the past year.

MATTERS TO BE COVERED BY GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

- (1) Receipts and Disbursements.
- (2) Budget expenditures for 1935.
- (3) Names and numbers of lodges that have not filed their Annual Returns.
- (4) Lodges Consolidated.

ets is to the buyer the most seductive and the least profitable form of gambling.

Use of the mails for transportation of tickets, literature and other matter in aid of lotteries is denied by federal law. Therefore these tickets, literature, and other matter are not mailed but are sent by express or by other means to evade possible indictment for a criminal offense.

Masons have escaped prosecution only through the favor of law enforcing officers neglectful of their duty.

Masonry as a system of morality frowns upon gambling, and this Grand Lodge has had for many years a law denouncing it as un-Masonic.

This subject is brought to your attention for the reason that in our Grand Jurisdiction during the early months of 1936, a similar activity was carried on by a Body particularly described in the foreword of this discussion. When I brought this subject to the attention of the presiding officers of the Bodies of this organization within our Grand Jurisdiction I was assured that all such activities, as have in them any element of gambling, will be discountenanced and discontinued in the future.

I wish to commend these brethren for their fine attitude in this matter and for their prompt and cheerful compliance with our laws and regulations.

There can be no doubt but that many of our organizations, either Masonic or composed wholly of Masons, are in need of funds to carry on their various activities, but I sincerely trust that the time may never arrive when they must resort to violations of either the Statute law or Masonic law to enable them to obtain the necessary funds to carry on.

My file on this subject will be delivered to the proper Committee.

STATE OF THE CRAFT

We enjoy the heritage of almost 200 years of extraordinary growth and development of Masonry in North

Department that lottery schemes were being promoted among fraternal organizations by persons making a business thereof as a means of raising revenue, and that it was becoming a common practice to distribute books of numbered tickets purporting to entitle purchasers to attend some entertainment, the holder of the winning ticket number to receive a substantial prize; in some instances separate tickets being sold to admit the purchaser to an entertainment and a lottery ticket being presented to him with the admission.

This statement was followed by a quotation from the United States Criminal Code applying to lotteries, and the closing paragraph of the communication contained a warning against subterfuges and attempts to evade the statutes.

In a report such as this one intended only for Masons, no discussion of the evils of gambling should be necessary; this is especially true in the light of our Regulation 101 on page 51 of the Code specifically stating that "Raffling is Gambling. . . . Gambling is a violation of the moral law and the laws of the State, and is therefore a Masonic offense." Enlightened opinion everywhere condemns it as inherently dishonest, destructive of thrift and industry, and promotive of crime and poverty.

In large scale gambling lottery is one of the oldest and most generally used methods, for the reason that whatever may be the value of the prizes, there is no limit to the amount that may be raised by the sale of chances. Whether the lottery offers thousands of dollars in cash prizes or articles of merchandise of relatively insignificant value, whether the cost of participation is measured in dollars or in cents, and whether the purpose is solely the personal enrichment of the promoters or relief and charity, the underlying principle is the same, and federal and state laws condemning lotteries as criminal make no distinction between the value of the prizes, the cost of tickets, or the purpose of the enterprise.

I may say also, that selling and buying lottery tick-

In the main, however, I am happy to report that the heart and core of Freemasonry in North Carolina is sound and healthy—it is very good. The year 1936 finds us sufficiently prosperous, as prosperity is usually estimated. New members have been added, and the material strength of Masonry has not been appreciably impaired. We note the increasing number of young men who seek admission among us.

But let us not deceive ourselves by these appearances of progress. Neither an increase in numbers nor a decrease in losses is a justifiable cause for congratulation. It is my solemn conviction, and I repeat what has already been said time and again by my predecessors and by the Grand Masters of perhaps every Jurisdiction in this nation, that if there is any one thing which, more than all others combined, will hasten the downfall of our patriarchal institution, it is an effort to make Masonry a popular Order. We have seen in the past that a rapid accession of indifferent members, a too cautious use of the black ball, and a cowardly indisposition promptly and effectively to apply Masonic discipline to the embezzlers, adulterers, drunkards, and other offenders already within our ranks, are distinct barriers to Masonic progress.

The success of our Fraternity depends not so much upon the number as upon the general character and moral standing of those who march under its banners. Guard well the portals of your lodges against unsuitable material. Scrutinize closely the mental as well as the moral qualifications of the petitioner. If he is addicted to the vices which by our regulations are defined as Masonic offenses, if he is morose, ill-tempered, selfishly ambitious, or unable to brook reasonable authority, do not allow him to enter; for the presence of one such unruly member may prove more detrimental to the interests and harmony of the lodge than the unwise rejection of many good men, who as members would honor it.

The condition of the Craft in respect to the apparent lack of interest among the members, is not what enthu-

Carolina. The genius of our Institution has sought expression through hundreds of lodges and thousands of members.

Growth was so rapid in the years 1917 to 1926 that we nourished the delusion that it would always be so. The six-year period of economic, social and moral depression has slowed down our movement and has indicated to us that we have overlooked the fact, indeed we have dared to ignore it, that in the course of all great movements there come those inevitable moments of fatigue which often mark the beginning of recession. But let us not look mournfully into the past—because it is gone; let us wisely improve the present, for it alone is ours; let us go forth into the shadowy, unknown future with no fear, but with manly courage in our hearts.

I think I may reasonably congratulate you on the progress the Order has made during the past year. Our Jurisdiction is in one respect very difficult for a Grand Master. It is so extensive that he cannot do the necessary visiting, without very great expense.

I am satisfied it would be very beneficial if a Grand Officer could visit each subordinate lodge at least once each year. Many of our rural lodges have obstacles to contend with, and the fact that they continue to exist is a testimony of their love of Masonry; they need our encouragement; yet they rarely receive a visit from the Grand Master or a Grand Lodge officer.

The condition of many lodges throughout the Jurisdiction is not entirely satisfactory. While there are many noble and pleasing exceptions, it is a painful truth that many of our lodges are languishing. My predecessors have repeatedly brought to this Body their reports of indifference on the part of individual members; of inefficiency on the part of lodge officers; of a deplorable lack of discipline administered to the offenders against Masonic morality and the law of the land. Those diseases are with us yet to a considerable extent, and we have not put forth our very best efforts toward a removal of the causes.

lief in His control of the Universe and in His direction of all affairs; and this involves a belief in our individual responsibility to Him, and the duty of conforming to His moral law.

There is no place in our Order for anarchists or conspirators against government and law—either Masonic law or civil law. It seems to me that every Mason should realize the paramount mission of our Order, its responsibility to the world around us, and the opportunity it affords for all good men to stand up under its banner against the discordant elements that seem to be threatening our land. There is no lack of interesting questions that could be discussed. We may study conditions, ideas, and theories as they are and measure them by the Masonic standards of what they should be, that we may arrive at a better understanding of how to meet and solve the problems they present.

It is to be regretted that many lodges have spent so much of their funds and incurred such heavy debts in the construction and decoration of expensive buildings. Masonry is a charitable Institution. It had rather dwell in an humble cottage with its rude shelter and accommodations, with its latch string hanging outside the door welcoming the poor, distressed brother, or of his widow and orphans, than in a stately edifice whose marble exterior too often bespeaks the chilling selfishness of its occupants. We should caution our lodges against a too lavish expenditure of their funds or the incurring of debts beyond their ability to pay, for their own luxurious comfort and convenience or for the purposes of useless display.

I have seen ample evidence that the lack of progress in many of our lodges is due to the absence of a clear understanding of their duties by those brethren on whom the management of the affairs of the lodge mainly depend. I cannot urge too strongly upon the membership, especially upon the officers of lodges, the necessity of making Masonry a study.

First: There should be a definite study of the an-

siastic Masons desire to see. I believe that it is gradually becoming more healthy, and that it will improve in proportion as we provide a greater personal contact between the Grand Lodge officers and leaders, and the membership at large.

Masonry is conservative, yet it is conscious of its high character, its merits, and its capabilities for accomplishing good; it is sure of the firm hold upon the heart and affections of humanity and is trustful of its own future. It does not put on any outward show, or deck itself in gew-gaws and tinsel; it does not attempt novel enterprises for the purpose of holding the attention of its members, or of attracting followers as many of its younger contemporaries do.

Like charity, "It vaunteth not itself . . . is not puffed up." It therefore does not make the stir and hurdy-gurdy that other organizations seem to be making, but its natural charms will remain fresh and attractive long after the cosmetic beauty of its rivals has faded and has ceased to enthuse their followers. Masonry moves peaceably and noiselessly along, a benediction wherever it goes, making men, widows and orphans glad, carrying safely and without shipwreck the hopes, aspirations and faith that men have set afloat upon its bosom.

Many changes have taken place in the habits and customs of men during the past two decades; with a more sophisticated culture and more varied tastes, with modern means of recreation and entertainment, the methods of enjoyment have changed. Our ancient brethren found their enjoyment in convivial feasts and, possibly in grosser pleasures, that would not suit our times or be consistent with our Masonic character. We, too, must have something to interest us socially.

We occupy the peculiar position of being the great conservative Society of the world, and I say this without any intention of derogating from many noble institutions that are founded on good principles and are doing great good to mankind. The solid foundation on which we build is belief in God. This carries with it the be-

members of subordinate lodges delinquent in the payment of their dues.

It affords me great satisfaction, my Brethren, to be able to report to you that peace and harmony prevail, and that nothing has occurred during the past year which has tended materially to interrupt the harmonious work of the Craft. I believe our lodges are gradually, though slowly, coming to a better knowledge of the true object of our Institution and are becoming better acquainted with the jurisprudence by which we are governed; and what is still better, their officers are generally manifesting a greater desire to know their duties, and knowing them, to follow the highway which our fathers have laid down before us. Builded upon an everlasting foundation, our Institution has stood the test of ages and defied the attacks of ignorance and stupidity from within and without, as granite defies the elements.

But we must see to it that every shadow of an attempt to introduce into our Order the so-called "liberal" tendencies of the day, be frowned upon and stamped out, and that the beautiful, simple teachings of our fathers be adhered to, unimpaired and undiminished; Faith in God, Hope in Immortality, and Charity deep and broad enough to reach the cry of the helpless and distressed.

We are known among the profane only by our professions and public acts, and it is due to the honor and dignity of our Order that those we place in prominent positions should be something more than "good fellows" or "glib ritualists." Let the men we honor with positions in our lodges be men of moral worth and high character, who command respect in other positions of life, however humble, and we will always be entitled to the respect of those who are not numbered among us.

For the future progress of our Order we can rely only upon the grip which the Masonic ideal has upon the imagination of the world, upon the loyalty of our membership to those ideals, and particularly upon the intelligence, energy, vision, and self-sacrificing leadership of our Grand Lodge officers, our District Deputy Grand

cient Constitutions and Regulations, in connection with the Code of this Grand Lodge and its decisions. When the brethren have made themselves familiar with these, there is little danger of committing serious mistakes in the administration of lodge affairs. Second: Having accomplished the first suggestion, the ritual and symbolism of Masonry will be a very pleasant and profitable theme on which the intelligent Mason may spend many an hour with advantage to himself, and if he is disposed to let his light shine, with equal profit to the brethren.

Because of a lack of decision and courage in the presiding officers of many of our lodges, abuses have been permitted to creep in; other lodges have permitted indolent or careless habits so long that they seem incapable of reform. However reluctant I may feel in exhibiting before the Grand Lodge a picture so deformed, yet a proper sense of the responsibilities resting upon me, as well as a due regard for the interests committed to my trust, will not allow me to be less candid.

The duty of pointing out a remedy is no less imperative than that of exposing an abuse; and I am well convinced that this Grand Lodge had the remedy at hand, which is:

First: To provide funds in a reasonable amount for a more intimate *personal* contact with our lodges by the administrative officers of the Grand Lodge.

Second: To require in the annual returns of each lodge that it show the financial status of its membership at the end of the year and such other data as will reflect its financial condition. This information, in my opinion, should be an important part of the records of the Grand Lodge and should forewarn the administrative officers of impending danger and enable them to counsel and advise the lodge in the ways and means of avoiding the difficulties toward which it may be headed.

Third: To provide a commission form of trial for Masonic offenses.

Fourth: To simplify the procedure for dealing with

and I appreciate them. I am under lasting obligation to my brethren throughout this Grand Jurisdiction for the uniform courtesy and consideration which have always characterized our fraternal relations.

Chas. D. Newcomb

Grand Master.

REPORT OF GRAND TREASURER

The Grand Treasurer made the following report which was referred to the Finance Committee:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

DEAR BRETHREN: For the second time, I hand you below my report as your Grand Treasurer:

Cash in Banks—January 1, 1935	\$ 2,019.56
Received from Grand Secretary—	
January 15, 1935	\$ 5,000.00
January 30, 1935	5,000.00
February 11, 1935	5,000.00
March 5, 1935	10,000.00
March 18, 1935	7,500.00
March 28, 1935	7,500.00
April 5, 1935	20,000.00
July 8, 1935	5,000.00
October 19, 1935	5,000.00
December 9, 1935	5,000.00
December 19, 1935	3,000.00
December 27, 1935	2,000.00
December 31, 1935	493.61
Total received from Grand Secretary	\$80,493.61
Interest on Bank Balances	233.33
	\$82,746.50
Less Vouchers paid (itemized in Gr. Sec. Report)	79,484.80
Balance cash on Hand in Banks	\$ 3,261.70

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT C. ALEXANDER, *Grand Treasurer.*

Masters and our subordinate lodge officers. Masters can to a very large extent repair any misfortune if they are given the plans by which to work. I take it that a duty rests upon this Grand Body to draw the proper designs on the trestleboard of the Craft in North Carolina; to set the Craft to work under proper instructions; to advise, counsel and supervise the workmen in the performance of their many Masonic duties.

GRAND SECRETARY

The Grand Master in his address before the Grand Lodge in 1928, said, "What would we do without our Grand Secretary? He is the shock absorber for the Grand Master, and his long and faithful service has made him an invaluable assistant in solving the perplexing questions that arise." I am not sure that Grand Secretary John Anderson remembers those words, but it was Grand Master John Anderson who said them. Now I must confirm, ratify, and adopt that perfect description he then gave of THE Grand Secretary, but with additions; our present Grand Secretary is the latest model, self-equalizing, double-acting, hydraulic shock absorber.

I am very grateful to him for his fine friendship and for his perfect cooperation.

CONCLUSION

My Brethren, you have signally honored me. I have given you the best service of which I was capable. I have not undertaken to surround my administration with display; rather I have sought to advance the Fraternity by *definite* steps toward progress. I have discharged my duty—feebly and imperfectly it is true—yet with an earnest desire to advance your interests and promote the growth of our Fraternity.

I have not failed to appreciate the high honor you have conferred upon me, and I am not unmindful of the kindness and constant support you have given me during my term of office. These have been very graciously given

Grand Secretary's Expense-----	\$ 500.00	\$ 391.07
Grand Lecturer's Expense-----	4,000.00	3,175.00
Auditor -----	250.00	250.00
Grand Historian -----	100.00	24.75
Bonds -----	125.00	112.50
Printing Proceedings -----	2,250.00	1,096.90
Sesqui Centennial -----	250.00	
Masonic Education -----	500.00	322.05
Grand Master's Ex. to G. M. Conference---	50.00	
Grand Secretary's Ex. to G. M. Conference--	50.00	31.00
Grand Master's visits to other Grand Lodges	75.00	38.93
Gr. Secretary's visits to other Grand Lodges	75.00	31.85
Representative Geo. Wash. Mem. Association	50.00	42.40
Representative Mas. Service Association----	30.00	30.00
Rent -----	1,050.00	1,050.00
Office Expense -----	600.00	579.96
Annual Expense Grand Officers-----	300.00	252.12
Annual Expense P. G. M.-----	200.00	115.19
Annual Expense D. D. G. M.-----	500.00	532.55
Annual Expense Custodians, etc.-----	150.00	100.88
Annual Expense Others-----	50.00	6.00
Annual Expense Credentials Committee----	60.00	30.00
Annual Expense Reporting-----	50.00	25.00
Past Grand Master's Jewel-----	100.00	90.00
Past Grand Master's Apron-----	50.00	47.43
Summer Expense Grand Lodge-----	100.00	
District Deputy Grand Masters' Expense---	600.00	348.64
Contingent -----	1,000.00	486.98
Claudy Books -----		500.00
Totals-----	\$83,632.30	\$79,484.54
Tax on Grand Treasurer's Checks-----		.26

The following Lodges have not made their returns and must be cited to appear and show cause why their charter should not be arrested. (Sec. 99 of the Code).

Oak Grove, No. 577; Meadow Branch, No. 578; Ivy, No. 406; Ashe, No. 671.

CONSOLIDATION

On Monday, May 20, 1935, Toisnot Lodge, No. 298, and Mount Lebanon Lodge, No. 117, were consolidated as Mt. Lebanon, No. 117.

ESTIMATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Total number Masons January 1, 1935-----	28292
Errors in returns-----	96
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GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BRETHREN: I herewith submit my eighth Annual Report as Grand Secretary for the year ending December 31, 1935.

RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES

For prior years-----		\$17,681.05
For current year—		
Charity fee-----	\$ 4,750.00	
Initiation fees-----	464.00	
Claudy Books-----	289.00	
Per Capita-----	50,714.94	
Fines-----	32.50	
Drewry Fund-----	1,612.02	
Permanent Fund-----	4,090.39	
Miscellaneous-----	218.63	
Legacy Interest-----	60.00	
Dimits-----	291.00	
Paid in Advance-----	269.50	
Interest-----	22.15	
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Total-----		\$80,495.18
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Less exchange on Checks-----		1.57
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Net amount-----		\$80,493.61

All of which was paid over to the Grand Treasurer. In addition to the above amount interest was received on deposits by the Grand Treasurer amounting to \$233.33.

Vouchers were drawn against the Budget as shown by the following table:

Oxford Maintenance-----	\$45,000.00	\$45,000.00
Interest-----	2,175.00	2,175.00
Debt-----	3,500.00	3,500.00
Masonic and Eastern Star Home-----	11,000.00	11,000.00
Charity-----	1,000.00	610.00
Grand Secretary's Salary-----	3,600.00	3,600.00
Grand Treasurer's Salary-----	100.00	100.00
Grand Tiler's Salary-----	100.00	100.00
Foreign Correspondent-----	300.00	300.00
Clerical Help-----	2,400.00	1,950.00
Masonic Service Association-----	707.30	815.84
Grand Masters' Conference-----	25.00	12.50
Grand Secretary Guild-----	10.00	10.00
Grand Master's Expense-----	600.00	600.00

Utah.....	W. J. BUNDY.....	Greenville
Brazil-Parahyba.....	DR. VERNE S. CAVINESS.....	Raleigh
Costa Rica.....	E. P. MARTIN.....	Washington
Cuscatlan of Salvador.....	J. RAY SHUTE, JR.....	Monroe
Lessing Zu Den Drei Ringen.....	ROSS E. SHUMAKER.....	Raleigh
Manitoba.....	REV. J. L. PEACOCK.....	Tarboro
Mexico-El Potasi.....	CHAS. M. WALKER.....	Hillsboro
Mexico-York.....	A. G. KLINGLER.....	Fort Bragg
New Zealand.....	C. C. BRYAN.....	Burgaw
Norske Polarstjernen.....	H. L. TAYLOR.....	Wilmington
Puerto Rico.....	C. M. GUETH.....	High Point
Roumania United Freemasonry.....	F. I. WATSON.....	Raleigh
Uruguay.....	MURRAY C. ALEXANDER.....	Charlotte

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA
NEAR OTHER GRAND LODGES

By order of the Grand Master Commissions have been issued to the following Brethren as our Grand Representatives.

Alabama.....	SHELTON H. HENDRIX.....	Mobile
Louisiana.....	CHAS. F. RATCLIFF.....	Baton Rouge
Massachusetts.....	EDWIN L. DAVIS.....	Chicopee Falls
New York.....	HAROLD G. CAMPBELL.....	Jamaica
National of France.....	WM. J. COOMBES.....	Paris
Norway.....	WM. KOCH.....	Trondhjem
Roumania United Freemasonry.....	J. COLEMAN.....	Bucharest
Sweden.....	CARL F. AUGUST, Cassell, Stockholm	
Uruguay.....	SANTIAGO TAVELLA.....	Montevideo
Victoria.....	GEORGE JOHN A. COLE.....	Bairnsdale

SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS

October 17, 1936—To lay the corner stone of the Memorial Hospital in Salisbury, North Carolina.

November 15, 1935—To lay the corner stone of Rex Hospital in Raleigh, North Carolina.

NECROLOGY

Since our last Annual Communication we have been called upon to mourn the loss of a number of distinguished Brethren. The list of those in other Grand Jurisdictions is as follows:

Alabama—Henry Clanton Miller, P. G. M.; born March 1, 1865; died March 1, 1935.

Alberta—Frederick Shelton Selwood, P. G. M.; born June 28, 1874; died August 8, 1935.

Colorado—Wm. Wiseman Cooper, Grand Secretary; born May 29, 1868; died Nov. 16, 1935.

Connecticut—Geo. A. Kies, Grand Secretary Emeritus; born May 4, 1854; died Feb. 5. 1936.

GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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Brought forward	28196
Raised during 1935.....	558
Admitted	424
Reinstated	309
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	1291
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	29487
Lost by Expelled.....	3
Suspended	1238
Withdrawn	333
Died	465
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	2039
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Total number Masons January 1, 1936.....	27448
Net Loss	844

Reported to Grand Lodge.....	1933	1934	1935	1936
Raised	521	267	514	558
Admitted	446	265	370	424
Reinstated	101	184	287	309
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	1073	716	1171	1291
Expelled.....	16	5	4	3
Suspended.....	2456	3091	2338	1238
Dimitted.....	516	352	402	333
Died.....	543	503	483	465
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	3531	3951	3227	2039

CHARTERED LODGES

Number Lodges April 1, 1935.....	351
Lost by Consolidation.....	1
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Number of Lodges April 1, 1936.....	350

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND LODGES NEAR THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Commissions have been received and delivered to the following Grand Representatives of other Grand Lodges near ours:

Arizona.....	FRANK C. ABERNETHY.....	Gastonia
Delaware.....	A. B. GOETZE.....	Raleigh
Florida.....	WM. L. MCIVER.....	Sanford
Idaho.....	H. W. PICKETT.....	Durham
Maine.....	F. F. HARDING.....	Raleigh
Maryland.....	HARRY W. WALKER.....	Norlina
Montana.....	C. H. PUGH.....	Gastonia
Nevada.....	J. E. SHIPMAN.....	Hendersonville
Texas.....	E. W. SPIRES.....	Edenton

West Virginia—Samuel Tilden Spears, P. G. M.; born Oct. 7, 1877; died Jan. 25, 1936. Clyde T. Dutton, P. G. M.; born Sept. 7, 1881; died Feb. 21, 1936.

Wisconsin—John E. Bast, Asst. Grand Secretary; born June 23, 1858; died Sept. 23, 1935.

Wyoming—Robt. H. Hopkins, P. G. M.; born March 5, 1855; died July 12, 1935. Hugh Hynds, P. G. M.; born April 16, 1848; died Feb. 13, 1936. Chas. C. Mitchell, P. G. M.; born Nov. 29, 1880; died Jan. 20, 1936.

VOUCHERS AND CHECKS DRAWN ON H. C. ALEXANDER, GRAND TREASURER

No.	Person	Amount
1.	C. L. Williamson, Postmaster-----	\$ 30.00
2.	Petty Cash-----	50.00
3.	Roy F. Ebbs, Grand Master's Expense-----	100.00
4.	J. F. Marquette-----	50.00
5.	J. W. Patton-----	50.00
6.	P. C. Stott-----	25.00
7.	N. C. Bank and Trust Co.-----	76.26
8.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co.-----	7.25
9.	Lona Hinshaw, Salary-----	100.00
10.	Mrs. H. R. White, Salary-----	100.00
11.	J. H. Anderson, Salary-----	300.00
12.	H. W. Colwell-----	90.00
13.	B. E. Stanfield-----	100.00
14.	J. F. Marquette-----	75.00
15.	J. W. Patton-----	75.00
16.	P. C. Stott-----	50.00
17.	C. L. Williamson, Postmaster-----	33.16
18.	S. E. Harrell, Secretary, Charity-----	25.00
19.	Lilly-Ames Company-----	47.43
20.	J. J. Cash Company-----	34.59
21.	J. Claude Keiper-----	12.50
22.	Masonic and Eastern Star Home-----	5,000.00
23.	Z. V. Green, Secretary, Charity-----	25.00
24.	Lona Hinshaw-----	100.00
25.	Mrs. H. R. White-----	100.00
26.	J. H. Anderson-----	300.00
27.	H. M. Poteat-----	30.00
28.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co.-----	8.50
29.	D. R. Forbes, Secretary, Charity-----	75.00
30.	J. F. Marquette-----	50.00
31.	P. C. Stott-----	50.00
32.	J. W. Patton-----	75.00
33.	J. Edward Allen-----	42.40
34.	Roy F. Ebbs-----	50.00
35.	P. C. Stott-----	25.00
36.	J. W. Patton-----	75.00
37.	Jeff L. Nelson-----	50.00

Florida—Elmer E. Haskell, P. G. M.; born Nov. 2, 1861; died Feb. 19, 1936.

Illinois—Leroy Albert Goddard, P. G. M.; born June 22, 1854; died Jan. 22, 1936.

Iowa—David R. Tripp, P. G. M.; born July 19, 1856; died April 21, 1935. Jesse Alden West, P. G. M.; born July 26, 1872; died May 3, 1935. Louis Block, P. G. M.; born June 30, 1869; died June 3, 1935. Frank Samuel Moses, P. G. M.; born June 13, 1861; died Sept. 20, 1935.

Kentucky—Wm. W. Clark, P. G. M.; born Jan. 20, 1851; died May 24, 1935. Frederick Wm. Hardwick, P. G. M., Grand Secretary; born May 17, 1864; died July 8, 1935. Alexander McC. Woodruff, Grand Secretary; born Jan. 26, 1872; died Aug. 24, 1935.

Maine—Hugh R. Chaplin, P. G. M.; born Nov. 24, 1858; died Sept. 22, 1935.

Minnesota—Chas. Lawrence West, P. Deputy G. M.; born March 30, 1846; died July 17, 1935. Wm. N. Kendrick, P. G. M.; born June 15, 1872; died Jan. 21, 1936.

Mississippi—Geo. Dumah Riley, P. G. M.; born March 26, 1874; died June 18, 1935. Irvin Miller Moody, P. G. M.; born Feb. 15, 1879; died May 12, 1935.

Montana—Chas. Wm. Pomeroy, P. G. M.; born June 22, 1862; died April 10, 1935. John E. Lewis, Senior Grand Warden; born Sept. 10, 1865; died Dec. 7, 1934.

Nevada—Charles L. Fulstone, P. G. M.; born Dec. 30, 1874; died Nov. 16, 1935.

North Dakota—George Hyer Keyes, P. G. M.; born April 3, 1845; died March 6, 1935.

Ohio—Chas. L. Minor, P. G. M.; born Nov. 25, 1875; died Feb. 18, 1936. Burton Smith, P. G. M.; born June 2, 1852; died Nov. 16, 1935.

Oklahoma—Wm. Edward Stuart, P. G. M.; born August 13, 1872; died May 10, 1935.

Oregon—Wm. Emory Groce, P. G. M.; born Feb. 9, 1856; died May 20, 1935.

South Carolina—George T. Bryan, P. G. M.; born March 22, 1857; died September 10, 1935. Ibra Chas. Blackwood, P. G. M.; born Nov. 21, 1878; died Feb. 12, 1936.

Tennessee—George E. Bennett, Junior Grand Deacon; born Oct. 28, 1903; died Nov. 23, 1935.

Texas—Stephen M. Bradley, P. G. M.; born June 16, 1852; died Dec. 23, 1935. W. Lee Moore, P. G. M.; born Aug. 30, 1858; died March 5, 1935. Nat M. Washer, P. G. M.; born ———; died Feb. 6, 1935. Sam P. Cochran, P. G. M.; born Sept. 11, 1855; died Feb. 11, 1936.

VOUCHERS AND CHECKS DRAWN ON H. C. ALEXANDER, GRAND TREASURER
(Continued)

No.	Person	Amount
84.	J. F. Marquette -----	\$ 50.00
85.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
86.	Ray T. Moore -----	7.50
87.	E. W. Spires -----	24.75
88.	C. L. Williamson -----	66.32
89.	P. C. Stott -----	25.00
90.	J. F. Marquette -----	50.00
91.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
92.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	50.00
93.	Lona Hinshaw -----	100.00
94.	Mrs. H. R. White -----	100.00
95.	J. H. Anderson -----	300.00
96.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co. -----	9.00
97.	Oxford Orphanage -----	10,000.00
98.	J. H. Anderson, Travel -----	107.25
99.	P. C. Stott -----	50.00
100.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
101.	J. F. Marquette -----	50.00
102.	Oxford Orphanage, Printing -----	1,156.29
103.	W. H. B. Riggan, Charity -----	25.00
104.	Petty Cash -----	48.40
105.	Petty Cash -----	50.00
106.	Mitchell Printing Co. -----	49.70
107.	J. F. Marquette -----	25.00
108.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	50.00
109.	P. C. Stott -----	25.00
110.	Lona Hinshaw -----	125.00
111.	J. H. Anderson -----	300.00
112.	C. T. McClenaghan -----	80.85
113.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co. -----	7.25
114.	P. C. Stott -----	50.00
115.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	75.00
116.	Roy F. Ebbs, (Masonic Education) -----	15.40
117.	R. S. McClelland, (Masonic Education) -----	16.00
118.	B. W. Fox, (Masonic Education) -----	5.00
119.	Oxford Orphanage -----	5,000.00
120.	J. H. Anderson, Travel -----	87.10
121.	J. W. Nichols, Charity -----	125.00
122.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
123.	P. C. Stott -----	50.00
124.	Charles B. Newcomb -----	150.00
125.	Lona Hinshaw -----	125.00
126.	J. H. Anderson -----	300.00
127.	Wilmington Stamp Printing Co. -----	9.50
128.	C. L. Williamson -----	17.88
129.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co. -----	7.65

VOUCHERS AND CHECKS DRAWN ON H. C. ALEXANDER, GRAND TREASURER

(Continued)

No.	Person	Amount
38.	J. H. Anderson (Miscellaneous) -----	\$ 85.30
39.	K. W. Parham -----	100.00
40.	Kelox Manufacturing Co. -----	15.00
41.	K. W. Parham -----	150.00
42.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co. -----	7.60
43.	Lona Hinshaw -----	100.00
44.	Mrs. H. R. White -----	100.00
45.	J. H. Anderson -----	300.00
46.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	25.00
47.	P. C. Stott -----	25.00
48.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
49.	Temple Publishing Co. -----	100.00
50.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
51.	P. C. Stott -----	50.00
52.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	50.00
53.	Roy F. Ebbs -----	18.00
54.	Horace Trader -----	25.00
55.	P. S. Daniel -----	5.00
56.	C. L. Williamson -----	45.00
57.	W. D. Terry -----	69.25
58.	Hotel Sir Walter -----	6.00
59.	W. H. Halliburton -----	33.10
60.	Lona Hinshaw -----	100.00
61.	Mrs. H. R. White -----	100.00
62.	John H. Anderson -----	300.00
63.	Charles B. Newcomb -----	200.00
64.	W. R. Smith, Masonic Loan Fund -----	25.00
65.	J. Edward Allen, Salary -----	300.00
66.	H. C. Alexander, (Annual Com. Expense) -----	1,010.74
67.	C. T. McClenaghan -----	37.50
68.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	50.00
69.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
70.	P. C. Stott -----	25.00
71.	Fayetteville Supply Co. -----	17.45
72.	Masonic and Eastern Star Home -----	6,000.00
73.	Z. V. Snipes -----	12.50
74.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	25.00
75.	J. F. Marquette -----	25.00
76.	Oxford Orphanage -----	5,000.00
77.	Temple Publishers -----	400.00
78.	Lona Hinshaw -----	100.00
79.	Mrs. H. R. White -----	100.00
80.	J. H. Anderson -----	300.00
81.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co. -----	7.25
82.	Nash R. Joyner, Charity -----	10.00
83.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	50.00

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

VOUCHERS AND CHECKS DRAWN ON H. C. ALEXANDER, GRAND TREASURER

(Continued)

No.	Person	Amount
176.	Petty Cash -----	\$ 25.00
177.	Guy H. Morris -----	28.90
178.	J. G. Beaman -----	16.60
179.	J. F. Marquette -----	50.00
180.	P. C. Stott -----	50.00
181.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
182.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co. -----	7.25
183.	Storr Engraving Co. -----	26.20
184.	C. B. Newcomb -----	102.33
185.	J. H. Anderson, Travel -----	67.10
186.	Oxford Orphanage -----	10,000.00
187.	Oxford Orphanage -----	60.00
188.	Security National Bank -----	60.00
189.	Roscoe M. Wynne -----	15.80
190.	W. J. Bundy -----	6.90
191.	F. R. Sutton -----	19.00
192.	J. S. McEachern -----	35.90
193.	H. Kauffman -----	3.40
194.	E. L. Somers -----	5.60
195.	C. A. Graham -----	12.90
196.	R. T. Allen -----	13.60
197.	D. S. Johnson -----	9.80
198.	J. W. Patton -----	50.00
199.	P. C. Stott -----	25.00
200.	J. F. Marquette -----	25.00
201.	R. T. Daniel -----	5.24
202.	H. McN. Johnson -----	31.60
203.	L. L. Thomas -----	7.00
204.	D. E. Bulluck -----	6.50
205.	C. M. Walker -----	4.30
206.	R. L. Pope -----	14.70
207.	R. E. Levan -----	15.55
208.	N. W. Curl -----	9.00
209.	D. K. Medford -----	6.50
210.	J. T. Ingram -----	12.20
211.	R. E. Yongue, Jr. -----	3.80
212.	N. D. Gwatney -----	19.10
213.	H. M. Foy -----	2.90
214.	Jeff L. Nelson -----	50.00
215.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co. -----	7.25
216.	Oxford Orphanage, Printing -----	12.37
217.	M. C. Alexander -----	2.40
218.	Lona Hinshaw -----	125.00
219.	J. H. Anderson -----	300.00
220.	Oxford Orphanage, Interest -----	2,175.00
221.	Oxford Orphanage, Payment on Debt -----	3,500.00

GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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VOUCHERS AND CHECKS DRAWN ON H. C. ALEXANDER, GRAND TREASURER

(Continued)

No.	Person	Amount
130.	P. C. Stott-----	\$ 50.00
131.	Jeff L. Nelson-----	50.00
132.	J. W. Patton-----	25.00
133.	J. F. Marquette-----	25.00
134.	W. D. Terry, Salary-----	50.00
135.	Tom O'Connor-----	15.45
136.	Void-----	
137.	Masonic Service Assn.-----	815.84
138.	P. C. Stott-----	50.00
139.	J. W. Patton-----	25.00
140.	Wilmington Stamp and Printing Co.-----	283.37
141.	Lona Hinshaw-----	125.00
142.	J. H. Anderson-----	300.00
143.	J. W. Patton-----	50.00
144.	J. F. Marquette-----	25.00
145.	P. C. Stott-----	25.00
146.	Alfred-Williams Co.-----	113.30
147.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co.-----	8.40
148.	J. H. Anderson, Travel-----	116.90
149.	Oxford Orphanage-----	10,000.00
150.	J. F. Marquette-----	50.00
151.	Jeff L. Nelson-----	50.00
152.	J. W. Patton-----	125.00
153.	P. C. Stott-----	25.00
154.	Lona Hinshaw-----	125.00
155.	J. H. Anderson-----	300.00
156.	J. D. Kearney, Secy, Charity-----	50.00
157.	E. A. Whitting, Secretary, Charity-----	50.00
158.	H. C. Alexander, Salary-----	100.00
159.	J. F. Marquette-----	75.00
160.	P. C. Stott-----	50.00
161.	J. W. Patton-----	25.00
162.	Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Co.-----	7.25
163.	P. C. Stott-----	25.00
164.	J. F. Marquette-----	25.00
165.	J. W. Patton-----	25.00
166.	W. H. B. Riggan, Charity-----	25.00
167.	D. M. McLean-----	21.15
168.	J. W. Lee-----	12.00
169.	Jeff L. Nelson-----	25.00
170.	P. C. Stott-----	50.00
171.	J. F. Marquette-----	50.00
172.	J. W. Patton-----	50.00
173.	Frank I. Watson, Charity-----	100.00
174.	Lona Hinshaw-----	125.00
175.	J. H. Anderson-----	300.00

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

Liabilities of Grand Lodge are \$7,459.02 greater than assets, without any reserve for accounts which may be uncollectible. Total liabilities are \$47,829.50, of which amount unpaid appropriations amount to \$46,500.00, as follows:

Oxford Orphanage	\$25,175.00
Oxford Orphanage Debt.....	5,675.00
Masonic and Eastern Star Home.....	11,000.00
Grand Secretary's Office Rent.....	3,150.00
Drewry Fund.....	1,000.00
Sesqui Centennial Fund.....	500.00

The total amount due Grand Lodge by Lodges at December 31, 1935, is not sufficient to pay these unpaid appropriations.

All other unexpended balances of appropriations have been cancelled and are not carried as liabilities.

Respectfully submitted,

K. W. PARHAM, C. P. A., *Grand Auditor*.

In addition to following tables full audit reports are in the office of the Grand Secretary and are available for inspection at any time.

J. H. ANDERSON, *Grand Secretary*.

(See additional report of Grand Auditor).

VOUCHERS AND CHECKS DRAWN ON H. C. ALEXANDER, GRAND TREASURER

(Continued)

No.	Person	Amount
222.	Masonic Temple (Rent)-----	\$ 1,050.00
223.	Oxford Orphanage-----	5,000.00
224.	P. C. Stott-----	25.00
225.	B. C. Burgess-----	6.30
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		\$79,484.54

GRAND AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I present herewith report of Audit of the financial records of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina as follows:

General Fund.

Permanent Fund.

North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc.

John C. Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund.

I certify that, in my opinion, all cash coming into the hands of the Grand Secretary, Brother John H. Anderson, and the Grand Treasurer, Brother Herbert C. Alexander, was accounted for and that, in my opinion, the statements herewith show the financial condition of the various Grand Lodge Funds at December 31, 1935, and the result of operations for the year ended on that date.

Exhibit A shows that the actual expenditure by the Grand Lodge for the year 1935 exceeded actual 1935 revenues. There was a deficit for the year of \$1,202.75.

The revenue anticipated by the Finance Committee in making the budget for 1935 was \$5,785.58 short of actual revenues. This was due mainly to the fact that the Finance Committee made no deduction from anticipated revenues for the 25c credit authorized by the Grand Lodge in 1934. This credit amounted to \$5,196.50. Also there was an overestimate of income from the Permanent Fund.

Actual expenses during the year were \$4,368.13 less than approved appropriations.

The net result of operations for the year, as stated above, was a deficiency of \$1,202.75.

Collections of amounts due Grand Lodge for prior years amounted to \$17,650.21. The uncollected 1935 accounts at December 31, 1935, amounted to \$14,381.47. Thus, the amount outstanding uncollected at December 31, 1935, was \$24,813.10 as compared with \$30,161.62 at December 31, 1934.

CONDENSED
Revenue and Expenditure
Year Ended

REVENUE	Antici- pated in Budget	Produced	Produced More or Less Than Budget
From Miscellaneous Sources	\$11,617.00	\$11,218.40	*\$ 398.60
From Per Capita Tax	70,730.00	70,427.50	* 302.50
Less Credit Allowance		* 5,196.50	* 5,196.50
From John C. Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund	1,500.00	1,612.02	112.02
Total Revenue Anticipated	\$83,847.00		
Total Revenue Produced		\$78,061.42	
Deficiency in Revenue			*\$ 5,785.58
Deduct Anticipated Revenue not Appropriated	* 214.70		214.70
Balance	\$83,632.30	\$78,061.42	*\$ 5,570.88
Expenditure	83,632.30	79,264.17	4,368.13
Expense Incurred in Excess of Revenue Produced		*\$ 1,202.75	
Deficiency			*\$ 1,202.75

* Less.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

PERMANENT FUND

Trustees of N. C. Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodians

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 1935

ASSETS	
CASH IN BANK: Principal	\$ 301.44
Notes Receivable—Masonic Temple Construction Company	54,155.43
N. C. State Bonds—Par	\$54,000.00
Plus Premiums on Purchases	728.00
	<u>\$54,728.00</u>
Less Premiums on Sales and Discounts on Purchases	<u>2,529.48</u>
Net Investment in N. C. State Bonds	52,198.52
Meredith College Bonds	5,000.00
Trust Department—N. C. Bank and Trust Co., Trustee	
Restricted—Certificate of Deposit	\$47,500.00
Accrued Interest	307.14
	<u>47,807.14</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$159,462.53
Deferred Charges	
Legal Expense in Suit vs. N. C. Bank and Trust Co.	6,555.04
TOTAL	\$166,017.57
LIABILITIES	
Income Payable to Grand Lodge of N. C. when Cash is Available Subject to Deferred Charge for Legal Expense	
1934 Income—Advanced for Legal Expense	\$ 4,648.00
1935 Income—Advanced for Legal Expense	1,907.00
Interest on Certificate of Deposit N. C. Bank & Trust Co.	307.14
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 6,862.14
Permanent Fund Balance December 31, 1935	159,155.43
TOTAL	\$166,017.57

ared With Budget
31, 1935

EXPENDITURES	Approved Appropriation	Incurred	Incurred More or Less Than Budget
A. Oxford Orphanage, Masonic and Eastern Star Home and Miscellaneous Charities	\$62,675.00	\$62,285.00	\$ 390.00
B. Salaries	6,500.00	6,050.00	450.00
C. Masonic Dues	742.30	838.34	† 96.04
D. Sundry Expenses	8,575.00	5,985.03	2,589.97
E. Expense of Representatives Outside of State	330.00	174.18	155.82
F. Expense of Grand Secretary's Office	1,650.00	1,577.76	72.24
G. Annual Communication Expense	1,460.00	1,292.11	167.89
H. Summer Expense	700.00	348.64	351.36
I. Miscellaneous Contingent	1,000.00	713.11	286.89
TOTAL APPROPRIATION	\$83,632.30		
TOTAL EXPENSE INCURRED		\$79,264.17	
UNEXPENDED BALANCE OF APPROPRIATION			\$ 4,368.13

† More.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were presented:

Resolved: That the Finance Committee is hereby directed to prepare and submit its report, accompanied by a budget of estimated receipts and disbursements, not later than 8:00 p. m., Wednesday, April 22nd, 1936, the same to be taken up as first order of business after election of Grand Officers.

Resolved: Further, that all reports of Institutions, Officers and Committees, and all motions or resolutions carrying appropriations or expenditures of money shall be presented to, and acted upon, by the Grand Lodge, on or before 12:00 Noon, Wednesday.

Resolved: Further, that all such reports, motions or resolutions coming in after the last named hour shall be carried over to the Grand Lodge of 1937.

Adopted.

Resolution in regard to pay of Assistant Grand Lecturers referred to Committee on Lecture Service and adopted:

Resolved: The pay of the Assistant Grand Lecturers shall be \$30.00 per week, to be paid by the Grand Lodge upon the certification of the Master of the lodge served that the Lecturer has completed his engagement to the satisfaction of the lodge. The travel and living expenses to be paid by the lodge.

AMENDMENT TO CODE

Regulation 271 was read and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee and adopted. (See report of Committee).

Regulation 272 was read and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee and adopted. (See Committee report).

Regulation 273 was read and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee and not adopted. (See Committee report).

Regulation 274 was read and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee and adopted. (See Committee report).

Amendment to Regulation 40 was read and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee and adopted. (See Committee report).

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 1935

ASSETS	General Fund Exhibit D	Permanent Fund Exhibit F	Masonic Founda- tion	Drewry Memorial Fund
Available Cash	\$ 3,311.70	\$ 301.44	\$ 6.50	\$ 209.00
Due from Lodges	24,979.10			
Loans Receivable	1,000.00			
Inventory of Books	438.00			
Investments: In Notes		54,155.43		1,000.00
In Bonds		57,198.52		9,800.00
In Stocks				
Estimated				19,200.00
Trust Department—N. C. Bank and Trust Co., Certificate of Deposit Restricted		47,807.14		
Deferred Charges—Legal Exp.		6,555.04		
Cash in Closed Banks	10,334.54		19.51	
Interest Receivable from Per- manent Fund Restricted	307.14			
TOTAL ASSETS	\$40,370.48	\$166,017.57	\$ 26.11	\$30,209.00
LIABILITIES				
Unpaid Appropriations	\$46,500.00			
1936 Income—				
Advance Payment	269.50			
Trust Fund—B. F. Moore Leg.	1,000.00			
1934 Income—B. F. Moore Leg.				
Due Oxford Orphanage	60.00			
Due Grand Lodge of N. C.				
Accumulated Income		307.14		
Restricted				
Income Withheld for		6,555.00		
Legal Expense				
Available				209.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$47,829.50	\$ 6,862.14	\$	\$ 209.00
Uncollected Accounts Reserve				
1935	14,381.47			
Prior Years	10,431.63			
Liabilities in Excess of Assets				
Other Than Uncollected				
Accounts Due from Lodges	32,272.12			
TRUST FUNDS		159,155.43	26.11	30,000.00
TOTAL	\$40,370.48	\$166,017.57	\$ 26.11	\$30,209.00

had hoped, we believe that some progress has been made in the six months of operation. Out of the 220 lodges reporting on the plan, 176 are using it with splendid results. This, we think, justifies our saying that the plan is sound. However, from our experience, we are definitely of the opinion that the program must have more substantial backing by the Grand Lodge, and should be placed on the footing of a definite objective in Masonic effort if it is to accomplish the desired results. The plan was adopted for two years by the Grand Lodge in 1935.

Our Grand Master has stressed the need of the educational program in his various addresses throughout the State, and we believe that his doing so has been a great help to the plan. The success of the plan depends in a large measure upon the interest of the officers of the subordinate lodges and the District Deputy Grand Masters.

The series of three Claudy books, which are presented to each initiate, are good, but without a sustained educational program to further emphasize their value, they will inevitably fall short of their real worth.

The Committee wishes to express its deep appreciation of the splendid cooperation it has received from Frank M. Pinnix, editor of *The Orphans' Friend* and *Masonic Journal*. As you have probably noticed, the Committee has published a series of articles on the different phases of Masonic work along educational lines, and Brother Pinnix has always given these articles prominent space. We solicit his continued cooperation, as we believe this is one of the best channels through which messages and activities of the Committee can be brought before the Craft.

An appropriation of \$500.00 was made by the Grand Lodge for the purpose of carrying on the educational work. Your Committee has used \$322.05 of this amount during the past year. We recommend and urge that the present system be strongly emphasized during the coming year, and that the unused portion of the \$500.00 appropriation made last year be placed at the disposal of the Committee on Masonic Education to follow up and extend the work of last year.

ROY F. EBBS, *Chairman, P. G. M.*,
HUBERT M. POTEAT, *P. G. M.*,
JAS. P. ASHBY, *Past Master*,
JAS. E. SHIPMAN, *Past Master*,
ROYCE S. MCCLELLAND, *Past Master*,
BURKE W. FOX, *Past Master*,
JOHN H. ANDERSON, *Grand Secretary*,
Committee on Masonic Education.

Amendment to Code changing Art. II of the Constitution was read and referred to Jurisprudence Committee but will lie over until next year. (See Committee report).

The following resolution to change the name and number of Warren Lodge, No. 101, was read and referred to Committee on Charters and Dispensations and adopted. (See Committee report).

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Grand Wardens, and Brothers of the Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We, the members of Warren Lodge, No. 101, in regular Communication assembled, do most respectfully pray the Grand Lodge of North Carolina to restore unto us the Name, Number and the old or a duplicate charter formerly held by St. John's Lodge, No. 13, of Duplin County.

The forefathers and ancestors of the members of Warren Lodge were members of this St. John's Lodge, No. 13, and we believe to change the Name and Number to St. John's Lodge, No. 13, will work to a better advantage to us and Masonry in general.

We, therefore earnestly and sincerely pray for the adoption of the change.

This the 5th day of March, A. D., 1936.

W. R. GOODING, *Master*,

GUY V. GOODING, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATION

The following report was read and adopted:

To the M. W. Grand Lodge of N. C.:

Your Committee on Masonic Education respectfully reports that, in keeping with recommendations and resolutions passed at the sessions of the Grand Lodge in 1934 and 1935, we met shortly after the adjournment of the 1935 session and carefully considered literature to be placed in the hands of the subordinate lodges for the use of those seeking admission to our fraternity.

After careful study of the New York and District of Columbia plans, we finally came to the conclusion that the District of Columbia plan, with some revision, would be more suitable for our jurisdiction, and in line with this thought we published a booklet entitled "The Lodge System of Masonic Education", which contains 77 pages, and early in September, 1935, distributed five copies to each lodge in the State. It is not necessary to go into a detailed explanation of the plan as you are, or should be, fully conversant with it. While the plan as adopted has not accomplished all we

Fourth: The Grand Master's Reclamation Program presented by him personally all over the State and discussed in his address, is in our judgment the crowning achievement of his year of office. The increase in the number of admissions and reinstatements, and the decrease in the number of dismissions and suspensions (almost 50%), justify us in respectfully recommending to succeeding Grand Masters and their District Deputy Grand Masters vigorous and energetic efforts to continue, and if possible expand, this program which in less than a year has produced such fine results.

Fifth: We heartily approve the Grand Master's recommendation that a Lodge Service Commission be set up to investigate carefully and report on delinquent lodges. It is our opinion that this Commission should meet as soon after appointment as possible and formulate the policies under which it expects to function. We suggest that the Finance Committee make an appropriation of \$500.00 for the expenses of this Commission.

Sixth: We especially commend the Grand Master for his clear and unanswerable presentation of the matter of lotteries and gambling devices—with which Masons should have nothing to do.

Seventh: The Grand Master's recommendation that the line officers assist in the visitations to the subordinate lodges is warmly approved, and for various reasons—one being that such activity will give these brethren something to do.

Eighth: We applaud the Grand Master's strong and timely warning with respect to indifference and carelessness in the investigation of candidates, and concerning excessive leniency in dealing with law-breakers.

Ninth: We approve the suggestion of the Grand Master that the Code should be revised and that *Andrews' Digest* should be rewritten and brought down to date.

Fraternally submitted,

H. M. POTEAT, *Chm.*,
R. C. DUNN,
LEON CASH.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I present herewith my fourth annual report as Auditor.

The financial records of the Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, the custodians of the Permanent Fund, the Masonic Temple Construction Company, the Masonic Foundation, Oxford Orphanage, and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Incorporated, have been audited by me and complete financial statements and reports rendered. In my opinion, these reports show the condition of the various interests of Grand Lodge at De-

The use of the Claudy Books was thoroughly discussed and adopted as a continuous policy of the Grand Lodge.

The report of the Board of General Purposes was read and adopted.

To the Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Grand Lodge elected as Grand Master a year ago a man who took his responsibilities seriously and who has turned in a year of work which merits the highest praise. The Board of General Purposes offers him herewith its sincere congratulations, and at the same time felicitates North Carolina Masonry in general upon the certainty that Charles Bailey Newcomb's retirement from the Grand East will not mean his retirement from the numerous and vigorous activities to which he has for years given so lavishly of his time and of his quite unusual talents.

Matters involving Finance in his report are hereby referred to the Finance Committee; matters affecting the Oxford Orphanage, to that Committee; matters affecting the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, to that Committee; and all matters involving decisions and Masonic law to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence.

There are some matters presented by the Grand Master upon which the Board of General Purposes feels that it should express its judgment and which should subsequently be discussed freely and frankly.

First: The discontinuance of the St. John's Day Celebration at the Oxford Orphanage. In addition to the thoroughly sound reasons advanced by the Grand Master, the Board is informed that the officials of the Orphanage and the citizens of Oxford feel that the dangers and discomforts of the Celebration outweigh its advantages and that it should therefore be abandoned. We recommend that the Grand Master's suggestion be adopted.

[Adopted by Grand Lodge.]

Second: The Grand Master believes that lodges which have violated Regulation 268 have been dealt with too leniently and that hereafter they should be held to strict accountability in the matter. He further recommends that every lodge be forbidden to cancel lecture engagements—for reasons that should be perfectly obvious. The Board heartily approves both these recommendations.

Third: The Grand Master has endeavored to establish in each District the custom of holding an officers' Conference two hours prior to the District Meeting. His own observation and the personal comments he has received convince him that the plan is an excellent one. We agree, and we recommend that it be carried out faithfully by the District Deputy Grand Masters.

which they did not have a few years ago. That is why the people loudly acclaim the name of Hitler. He has at least brought this back to them.

Then, too, as hosts of other people around the world, the Germans are intensely interested in security. And many of them are willing to pay the price of freedom in order to gain economic protection. It is a course that many people are following today.

Even so, I say to you to-night that liberty is worth preserving. Once Patrick Henry shouted at the top of his voice, "Give me liberty or give me death!" He said far more than most of his American commentators have suggested. Indeed, I should like for us frankly to face the fact that there is a kind of death which is inescapable whenever we abandon liberty. We *do* have freedom, or we die—on certain of the higher levels. Indeed, the loss of liberty means the death of too many things which man, at his best, has not merely held dear, but even sacred. Masonry says to a troubled world: "Never surrender your freedom!"

To be sure a world like this can be easily misunderstood—and it often is—for license is not liberty, and lawlessness is not freedom. Our highest freedom is in law; but it is law inside of our minds and hearts.

That is why, again, Masonry speaks so forcibly about setting free the best self we have.

*"Within my earthly temple there's a crowd,
There's one of us that's humble, one that's proud;
There's one who's broken-hearted for his sins,
There's one who unrepentant sits and grins;
There's one who loves his neighbor as himself,
And one who cares for naught but fame and self;
From such perplexing care I would be free,
If I could once determine which is me."*

Do you know how that person can come to be the dominant one in our personality? Yes, you *must* know! It is when the Divine is given full right-of-way.

II.

That is why Masonry, with dynamic power, speaks another word to this troubled world. It is the word *God*.

But there is even more to be said than merely something having to do with our individual lives. The world is a troubled world because it has forgotten that for which this word stands.

1. Look at the hosts of people today—groups, classes, nations—who are living in mental confusion. They are blown about with every wind of trouble. They need a vision of God. Here they are, though, unable to be self-controlled or believing or confident. They look out on the horizon, but they see no Power able to take care

cember 31, 1935, and the result of operations for the year ended on that date. Complete reports are on file in the office of the Grand Secretary.

Fraternally submitted,

K. W. PARHAM, *Grand Auditor*.

A bell and gavel were presented to the Grand Lodge by P. G. M. Roy F. Ebbs on behalf of Brother R. E. Simpson and accepted by P. G. M. Hubert M. Poteat. (See cut and history in front of book).

ORATION

The following oration by Rev. G. Ray Jordan was thoroughly enjoyed by the brethren:

MASONRY'S MESSAGE TO A TROUBLED WORLD

Most Worshipful Grand Master and members of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Let me thank you for the privilege of meeting with you and the opportunity of thinking with you for a short while this evening.

I am eager for you to know that I am cognizant of the honor which has been bestowed upon me.

In this time of uncertainty, when things are changing so rapidly, it seemed to me fitting that we should ask ourselves whether our ancient order has any message applicable to such times. It is a troubled world in which we are living, and it is *our* world. What does Masonry have to say to it? Does Masonry, indeed, have anything of positive helpfulness to say to this troubled world?

I.

It is more than interesting, it is deeply thought-provoking, to note that, while we have the privilege of gathering together here tonight in this Masonic meeting, there are places in the world where a session similar to this would be considered a crime. Even to state this fact provokes the most earnest kind of thinking on the part of those who reason clearly. But it ought to do more than that.

In Germany the fraternal orders have had to go. Hitler has driven them out. They have gone, as other organizations and institutions have gone in Germany, because there is no more freedom, in the real sense of the word.

Of course, it should be said that Germany has gained some good in the rigid course of rigorous control which she is pursuing. We must not be unfair to Hitler or his program. Under the leadership of the Fuehrer, the German people have won a self-respect

We have heard so much about the fall of Roman civilization that it has become a proverb and a byword. But when one sees not merely the Forum and the Coliseum in Rome, but goes and looks on such ruins as those in Jerash and Baalbek, he needs little imagination to reconstruct certain history and almost tremblingly feel the fact; God—or ruin!

It is gripping to note that the arch of Titus, which symbolizes the defeat and enslavement of the Jews, is itself a part of some world-famous ruins which mark the decadence of a civilization that proposed to triumph by destroying religion.

Then go look at the noted ruins of Baalbek! There they are with all their powerful message! Religion was present; that is true. But what a religion! It was one purposely presented to turn the attention of the people from the challenge of the highest which was making a bid for clear minds and warm hearts. There was a chance to take a higher step in religion; but the dominant race refused to take it. Thus the enormous columns of Jupiter, copied in thousands of prints, are there to witness to the failure of people to give the best religion they knew a place in their lives. And they are but one notable feature of some of the most colossal ruins of the world.

There is Jerash, certainly one of the best preserved cities of the ancient world. There are only two or three others which are comparable to it, as a city. Look at the amphitheatres where excessive play and even brutality occupied so much of the time of the people. There are yet many columns in the main street. There are buildings which have attracted the attention of scholars around the world. But the ruins are only to be studied. The scholars go to see and to dig and see more, in order to learn what first the Greeks and then the Romans did, and how they lived.

4. Without God our civilization collapses, crashes through, falls into ruins. Whenever you look at that capital G carved in the stone of a magnificent temple or only painted on an electrically lighted glass that hangs out of some window, bow your head and give thanks that there is a way out for our troubled world!

III.

It is just because Masonry speaks that word so forcibly that this order also effectively stresses the significance of Personality. We are not brutes, or beasts, or mere bits of machinery which have "happened" as the result of the "collocation of atoms." We are sons of God! Surely Masonry cannot say that too loudly or too insistently!

A man was being wheeled down a hospital hall, when one of the internes, in immaculate white, just out of the medical school, met him. The interne was looking for a patient. He inquired. "Are you a tonsil case?" "No," the man answered humbly, "I am a hu-

of the situation. Oh, they may have some kind of belief, but they have been in no Temple where one catches a vision of the King* of kings; and so they scan the horizon in vain. Or, perchance, they believe in some kind of deity, but he is like the God of H. G. Wells. He may be friendly disposed toward us, but he has no ability to bring us out of all this turmoil and confusion. He is a weak and emaciated deity. He smiles, but his arm is weak, and he cannot save. These people see everything through a pair of blue glasses. Their god is unable to cope with things as they are. His name is not written with a capital G.

Because the kind of God we have necessarily determines the kind of world in which we live, the way to get rid of confusion and distress and turmoil is in discovering that harmony which the real God of the Universe brings to our thinking and our mental outlook.

No well-wishing weakling, unable to cope with things as they are, can do that! Indeed, only the Mighty One can ever satisfy the inmost cravings of our souls! We must have a God who is able to take care of any situation.

*"As the marsh-hen secretly builds on the watery sod,
Behold I will build me a nest on the greatness of God:
I will fly in the greatness of God as the marsh-hen flies
In the freedom that fills all the space 'twixt the
marsh and the skies;
By so many roots as the marsh-grass sends in the sod
I will heartily lay me a-hold on the greatness of God."*

There may be those who can be satisfied with a God whose nature changes every time their feelings do, one whose character is shaped by their whims, who weaken when circumstances are depressingly unfavorable; but there are some of us who care neither to venture here and now, or at any time in the future, without a God who is able to take care of us!

2. There is a book entitled *Psalms of the West* by Rolla Russell, to which a recent writer has referred. The author defines religion as "the union of the spirit of man with holiness, the constant endeavor to do the best and bear the worst. Soon or late the worst will befall us. Without God we are left prostrate on the earth covered with the debris of our ruined hopes.

This word, *God*, means more than a ritual. It is a living experience.

*"Think not the faith by which the just shall live
Is a dead creed, a map correct of heaven,
It is an affirmation and an act
That bids eternal truth be present fact."*

3. But there is even more than this. The world crumbles without this confidence. It collapses without this experience.

*"When the last day is ended
And the nights are through;
When the sun lies buried
In its grave of blue;
When the stars are snuffed like candles,
And the seas no longer fret;
When the winds unlearn their cunning,
And the storms forget;
And the last lip is palsied,
And the last prayer said;
Love will reign immortal,
While the worlds lie dead."*

But here is this changing, troubled world. What are we going to do with it? We may as well frankly and realistically face it.

We can become so disgusted that, even though we feel we have some responsibility about it, we will exclaim with one of Shakespeare's characters:

*"The world is out of joint; O cursed spite,
That ever I was born to set it right."*

But I remind you that there is a glorious company of heroes, martyrs and saints who have dared—and who now dare—to face life bravely because they know they have that which can meet the needs of the world. They have not perfected life, but they have done their bit. Surely the fundamental principles of Masonry impel us to do at least that!

Once when Wellington was sending out a man on an arduous and dangerous task, at the conclusion of his orders he said: "Is there anything I can do for you?" "Before I go," answered the man, "just give me a grip of your conquering hand, sir!"

There is a clasp—it comes from the Lion's paw of the tribe of Judah—that will give us the grip of a conquering hand! When we have that, we can go forth both to speak and to live Masonry's message to a troubled world.

The minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge called from labor to refreshment until 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

man being, though I do not look like one." Exactly! . . . And God recognizes the inherent value of every human being.

*"We are all blind until we see
That in the human plan
Nothing is worth the making
If it does not make the man."*

IV.

It is this fact that makes Masonry's message of Brotherhood so meaningful.

There are many people today who think that friendship does not express the virile and manly. Recall what Mussolini has said about refusing to be over friendly with anyone. Those who are affected by the philosophy he holds do not think that there is iron in the blood of this relationship. It suggests a weakening of the will, an inability to care for one's self and to direct one's own affairs.

Of course, all of this is a tragic mistake. Friendship is manly; it is strong. It is divine. Henry Churchill King is right when he says: "Friendship is the greatest possible theme for any audience whatsoever."

One cannot force this high relationship. One cannot compel people to like him. He cannot win spiritual treasures by means of superior power. No, and one cannot buy them! They are not on the market. They are above all monetary considerations. That is what makes their value so great.

Friendship? There is nothing we crave more! When we are honest, we must admit it. Brotherhood? There is nothing the world needs more. The very lack of it is the tragic trouble with the world now. It has so little to hold it together. There are many who want to disrupt the world. They seem to enjoy causing schisms. They want nation to be lined up against nation. They fan the furies of hate. They capitalize on anger. Therefore the world suffers. It bleeds.

But that is not the way out. Brotherhood is the only sure, safe, and sensible course to follow!

*"'Live and let live!' was the call of the Old—
The call of the world when the world was cold—
The call of men when they pulled apart—
The call of the race with a chill on the heart,*

*But 'Live and help live!' is the cry of the New—
The cry of the world with the Dream shining through—
The cry of the Brother World rising to birth—
The cry of the Christ for a Comrade-like earth."*

We ask that Past Grand Master Leon Cash present this petition to the Grand Lodge, and urge its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. CARSON, *Master*,
S. W. HOFFMAN, *Sec'y*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MASONIC LOAN FUND

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Directly after the close of the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, held in 1935, your Committee wrote to each of the Educational Institutions participating in this Fund, a personal letter that reviewed the condition of the allotment at that particular Institution. Each of these letters endeavored to point out features that the Institution might correct, where delinquencies were apparent; in numerous cases, where the Funds were being handled well, congratulatory comments were made. It was the endeavor of the Committee to urge that additional attention be paid to the very old notes, and to bring some unusual pressure to bear on the borrowers who were neglecting their obligations.

A few of the Institutions acknowledged these letters, and the Committee notes with gratification that in the reports for the past year there has been some improvement in collections.

For the year ending December 31st, 1935, the reports from two or three of the Institutions have been incomplete. One Institution stated that they did not have time to give us all the information requested. Two other Institutions made their reports on blank sheets other than the standard uniform report blanks submitted.

One Institution submitted no report for 1935, owing, as they state, to insufficient time to prepare same, although they were allowed ninety days, the same as all the other Institutions. In view of the fact that this particular Institution handles \$6000.00 of this Masonic money and their 1934 report showed that they had 54 outstanding loans, in amount practically \$7,000.00, this omission will seriously interfere with comparisons of the totals of the two years.

In the case of Davenport College, we have had considerable correspondence with the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, but our last two or three letters have remained unanswered. Another year has gone by without the Trustees deciding whether to reopen this Institution or not, and in the meantime nothing has been done toward the collection of their outstanding notes.

The total original allotment of \$85,000.00 to the 31 Institutions, remains the same, as nothing further has been added to this sum and the comments that follow are prepared on the reports received from 29 Institutions out of the 31 receiving the original Funds.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

Wednesday, April 22, 1936.

The Grand Lodge was called from refreshment to labor at 9:30 o'clock A. M. in the Masonic Temple, by M. W. Charles B. Newcomb, Grand Master.

Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain.

A resolution to change the name and number of Statesville Lodge, No. 487, was presented and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations and laid over until next year.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Grand Wardens, and Brethren of the Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina at its Annual Communication at Raleigh, North Carolina, April 21st, 1936:

We, the members of Statesville Lodge, No. 487, in regular communication assembled, do most respectfully pray that Grand Lodge of North Carolina reinstate or restore unto us the number of Mt. Moriah Lodge, No. 27, which charter together with the records are now stored in the archives of Statesville Lodge, No. 487.

This petition is made for the following reasons: First, that Statesville Lodge, No. 487, is in effect the lineal Masonic descendant of Mt. Moriah Lodge, No. 27, which according to records available was active in all Masonic work here at Statesville from 1795 to 1813.

Second, to preserve the historic heritage left us by our Masonic forefathers, some of whose descendants comprise our membership today; the father's remains lying buried in old Fourth Creek Association cemetery near the Lodge.

Third, the members of 487 would like to honor the memory of their forefathers by working under the original number of Mt. Moriah Lodge, No. 27, which is an honored Masonic record. We feel that if, this, our prayer, be granted it may be an incentive to action whereby the living may honor the dead.

We respectfully request, that if this our petition be granted, the officers elected at our last regular election be and remain the officers of Mt. Moriah Lodge, No. 27, until our next regular election.

which tends to show that, at least here, there must have been considerable laxness in keeping track of these monies.

Seven of the Institutions report that they have placed some of their oldest notes in the hands of commercial collecting agencies.

In general it appears that most of the Institutions are making some headway in the collection of the older notes, but we are still disturbed at the excuses that are given by the borrowers for non-payment. It would appear that a considerable proportion of the delinquent borrowers have regarded these loans more or less in the form of a gift and show but little financial responsibility in repayment.

As stated in our previous report, one Institution, Salem College, has been unusually successful in handling these loans. Their record of collection indicates splendid judgment in the selection of worthy students as borrowers; and the fact that they have confined their loans to Seniors has resulted in a rapid turn-over of the money and practically 100% collection. If the other Institutions sharing this Fund had shown such diligence, our report would have a much more optimistic ring.

However, we are constrained to believe, from the comments made in these reports, that this Fund is doing a large amount of good and we presume that it is only to be expected that a certain proportion will eventually be found to be uncollectible.

Your committee is preparing some additional regulations to govern the future loaning and collection of these Funds, in the endeavor to prevent the continuation of some of the losses that have already taken place.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. HARKINS,
ROSS SHUMAKER,
WM. RITCHIE SMITH,
WM. B. HODGE,
Committee.

The report of the Directors of Masonic and Eastern Star Home was read and referred to the Committee on Masonic and Eastern Star Home and the Finance Committee:

To the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, A. F. & A. M.:

We herewith submit our 22nd annual report of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of N. C., Inc., for the year ending Dec. 31, 1935.

We are pleased to be able to again report that we have kept up with the approved applications. All have been investigated promptly, and as soon as approved the applicant has been placed in the Home or on Home Aid.

In the 1935 reports, 14 Institutions state that more money could be used to advantage and 5 report the opposite, 10 leaving this question unanswered.

Four Institutions state that there is a preference given to students of Masonic parentage, while 18 state there is no preference given, 7 remaining silent.

The total amount of interest collected and added to the principal sum is \$16,903.00 which represents an increase of a little over \$3,000.00 from that reported the preceding year.

The total number of individual loans made number 2,246, showing an increase of 31 and in amount \$184,138.00. The total number of loans completely collected is 1308, an increase of 175 over 1934 report, these totalling \$104,632.00.

Amounts on hand of January 1st, 1936, to be loaned, \$14,296.00 which is \$5,663.00 more than the preceding year. The total amount of outstanding loans number 892 and total \$83,340.00.

Loans made in the following years and NOT collected:—

1924	Number 20	Total amounts-----	\$ 2,003.00
1925	Number 31	Total amounts-----	2,955.00
1926	Number 33	Total amounts-----	3,371.00
1927	Number 50	Total amounts-----	4,731.00
1928	Number 46	Total amounts-----	4,906.00
1929	Number 81	Total amounts-----	8,047.00
1930	Number 102	Total amounts-----	10,301.00
1931	Number 88	Total amounts-----	8,340.00
1932	Number 114	Total amounts-----	9,238.00
1933	Number 121	Total amounts-----	9,550.00
1934	Number 124	Total amounts-----	8,830.00
1935	Number 74	Total amounts-----	11,068.00

The number of loans on which no payments have been made is 548 and amount to \$45,364.00 while the number of loans made during 1935 is 182 and amount to \$6,566.00.

The largest loan to any one student, including interest, was made in 1932; no payments have been made on this loan and with interest it now amounts to \$1,107.00.

Loans for more than \$500.00-----	Total	2
Loans for over \$200 and less than \$500-----	Total	50
Loans for over \$100 and less than \$200-----	Total	223
Loans for less than \$100.00-----	Total	465

There appears to be a total amount of \$3,294.00 marked by the several Institutions as being "uncollectible", of which one College shows \$1,384.00 out of an original allotment of \$2,500.00 and another college, \$1,175.00 out of an original allotment of \$2,500.00.

One Institution reports that there was discovered during the year an old book with 135 loans that had been previously overlooked

Special donations received for the heating plant were: Mr. Benjamin Cone, cash \$1,000.00; Mr. Herman Cone, cash \$200.00; Mr. W. C. Boren, tile for inside of second story and 60% of the smoke stack; and 18,000 brick from Mr. Frank Borden, Sr.

On July 21, 1935, the Board lost by death its most devoted member, Brother C. M. Vanstory. He had served as Chairman of the Board and Chairman of the Executive Committee almost twenty years. It was his joy and pleasure to give of his very best to the Home. The Home has lost one of its best friends.

We wish again to express to the Masons and Eastern Stars of North Carolina our sincere thanks for their fine and loyal support to the Home.

We respectfully request the sums of \$12,000.00 from the Grand Lodge, and \$8,000.00 from the Grand Chapter, Order Eastern Star.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. B. NEWCOMB, *Grand Master*,
MRS. JOYCE B. FINLATOR, *Grand Matron*,
JOHN J. PHOENIX,
DR. W. C. WICKER,
WILLIAM R. SMITH,
E. R. FORD,
MRS. GERTRUDE WOODBURY,
MRS. EMMA B. SILER,
J. E. LATHAM,
MRS. CLYDE P. FITZGERALD,
MRS. DAISY MAE DAVIS,
DR. J. HOWARD BROWN,
MRS. MARJORIE HOGAN,
W. P. HENLEY,
MRS. ELIZABETH BERGMAN,
JOHN S. MCEACHERN,
W. L. HOGAN.

During the past 22 years we have had 216 to live in the Home and 57 others on Home Aid; however, 19 of the 57 were transferred from Home Aid to the Home as soon as there was an opening for them and 6 left the Home and went on Home Aid. Thirty-two of those on Home Aid never lived in the Home. This gives us a total of 248 different persons that have been cared for by the Home. We now have 64 in the Home and 23 on Home Aid, making a total of 87. Our enrollment for the past year averaged 66 in the Home and 22 on Home Aid, a total of 88. This is the largest number ever cared for during one year.

We erected a modern heating plant last summer, and it gave perfect satisfaction the past winter. We consider this one of the best investments we have ever made. The old frame barn erected in 1911 was torn down and an addition made of tile was added to the dairy barn to take care of the farm implements, etc. A new driveway with concrete curbs has been graded to the cemetery and another back of the northwest lawn connecting with the street. The lawn north of the heating plant has been drained and sown in grass.

The annual audit was made by the Grand Lodge Auditor, K. W. Parham, and shows the income and disbursements as follows:

OPERATING INCOME

Grand Lodge of North Carolina.....	\$11,000.00
Subordinate Lodges.....	870.29
York Rite Bodies.....	670.00
Oasis and Sudan Shrines.....	200.00
Order of the Eastern Star.....	6,486.94
Interest earned.....	1,894.09
Income from Guests.....	1,973.85
Other Donations.....	477.80
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	\$23,572.97

DISBURSEMENTS

		Per Capita Tax
Administrative and general expenses.....	\$ 4,314.84	\$ 65.53
Institutional care of Guests.....	14,458.09	219.56
Plant operation and maintenance.....	2,088.38	31.71
Burial and cemetery expenses.....	257.18	3.91
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	\$21,118.49	\$320.71
Property expenses and upkeep of grounds....	864.56	
Home Aid payments.....	2,477.50	
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	\$24,460.55	

The applications for admission have been handled as rapidly as possible and, with the large number that has been received during the year, the utmost care has been exercised in making selections.

We were able to operate another year without going in debt. The Grand Lodge paid its entire appropriation of \$45,000.00 and the income from endowments, special gifts and collections have been gratifying. The Orphanage operated not only within its budget, but also within its income for the year. Considerable improvements in the exterior of the buildings have been made at a cost of over \$6,000.00. \$5,000.00 of this amount was raised by the Thanksgiving and Christmas collections. The exteriors of the buildings are now in a splendid state of repair and with a new coat of paint present a beautiful appearance. We have insisted upon adequate fire insurance at all times and the staff of workers is also protected under the Workman's Compensation Insurance. The State of North Carolina increased its appropriation and we feel that this is only fair, since we are providing for such a large number of non-Masonic children. The Duke Endowment income was not so great during the year for various reasons. The Orphanage continues grateful to Mr. James B. Duke for his generous provisions.

The number of gifts and legacies during the year were encouraging and we urge our brethren over the State to assist the Superintendent in a continued effort to secure an increased endowment through bequests and legacies.

The Grand Lodge paid in full its appropriation for the Building Fund and interest for the year 1935. We note, however, that the appropriation for these causes for 1933 and 1934 remain unpaid in addition to a substantial amount of the Grand Lodge appropriation for 1933.

The gifts for books, for athletic equipment and for other special causes increased during the year and we heartily recommend encouragement of such gifts; thus leaving the operating fund free to be used entirely in the regular and necessary channels of service.

The report of the Directors of the Oxford Orphanage was read and referred to the Oxford Orphanage Committee and Finance Committee:

REPORT BOARD OF DIRECTORS OXFORD ORPHANAGE

To the Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of Directors of the Oxford Orphanage herewith submits the sixty-third annual report of the Oxford Orphanage. Since the report of the Superintendent gives in detail a complete account of the affairs of the Orphanage for 1935, it is our purpose to report in a more general way and especially urge the careful reading of the Superintendent's report.

Four regular meetings of the Board as required were held during the year and the Executive Committee has held its meetings regularly each month. Through the report of the Superintendent, at each of these meetings, we have been able not only to keep up with the happenings at the Orphanage, but also to give due directions in accordance with our duties. At the December meeting each year the budget of expenditures and income is analyzed and approved. At this meeting the staff of workers and salaries are also approved. This enables us to know in advance something of the task which is ahead. The Executive Committee ascertains each month the financial situation and at quarterly Board meetings, the whole group is likewise acquainted with conditions.

The change in the Orphanage population has been the greatest that we have had in a number of years due to dismissals and withdrawals during the year, 55 having been dismissed and 53 admitted. A total of 422 children have received the services of the Orphanage during the year that has passed. The age limit of 18 years, as the time for dismissal, has been more strictly observed and the Orphanage has endeavored to extend its services to the largest number possible. It is gratifying to observe that 47% of the children in the Orphanage are of Masonic parentage and there are almost no children in our Home who have both parents living.

S., and scores of interested individuals, the work is made possible. We sincerely urge again complete cooperation of all concerned in this great and unselfish service. It is our belief that an investment in the Oxford Orphanage is an investment in childhood and in the coming days will pay dividends that can not be measured.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. B. NEWCOMB, *Grand Master,*
Ex-officio, Chairman.

J. GILES HUDSON, *Dep. Gr. Master,*
Ex-officio.

WATSON N. SHERROD, *Sr. Gr. W.,*
Ex-officio.

HARRY PATERSON, *Jr. Gr. W.,*
Ex-officio.

A. B. ANDREWS,

R. C. DUNN,

R. L. FLOWERS,

J. W. WINBORNE,

R. E. SIMPSON,

LUTHER T. HARTSELL, JR.,

THOMAS J. HARKINS,

BENJAMIN CONE.

[Copies of the sixty-third annual report of the Oxford Orphanage Superintendent may be secured from the office of the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge or Superintendent of the Oxford Orphanage.]

GRAND LECTURER

The report of the Grand Lecturer was read and adopted:

The third year of lecture service under the present system has gone by and the result achieved in this time has fully demonstrated the fact that our present system is the best we have ever had. As the system further develops still better results will be obtained.

The four districts are well manned by competent assistant Grand Lecturers—Brethren P. C. Stott, District No. 1, J. W. Pat-

We again call your attention to the fact that unrestricted legacies are invested through regular and outstanding trust companies. The income alone from these funds and investments may be used. We recommend that the Grand Lodge appropriate an adequate amount for the support of the Orphanage for the coming year.

For a review of the various departments of the life of the Orphanage we again refer you to the Superintendent's report. We would refer especially, however, to the reference to the health of the children and to the fact that in the early part of the year the Orphanage suffered an extensive epidemic of mumps and measles with no serious results. Several children were sent to Duke Hospital for special attention and operations and more serious illness during the year and we acknowledge our gratitude for service rendered by it and especially the loyal service of Dr. N. C. Daniel, the Orphanage physician.

The operation of the school of the Orphanage as a part of the city and state systems continues most successful. While we regret the loss to our school of membership in the Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges of the Southern States, we are aware that this is no fault of our own. Our school, with more than 40 others in North Carolina, lost this privilege of membership because of the maintenance of state-wide eight months school systems. We commend the program of the Superintendent in raising the educational standards for orphanage workers and believe that this will reflect itself immediately in the general morale of the pupils.

We urge upon our people the reading of *The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal*, as the organ of the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina. This not only carries information in regard to the Orphanage, but many other articles of inspiration and benefit to the Craft.

We sincerely believe that the Oxford Orphanage is striving to interpret the spirit of Masonry, in the name of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. With the assistance of the State and other contributing agencies and with the assistance of individual lodges, chapters of the O. E.

*"Here pause a moment by this sacred dust,
Then forth again, with God our only trust;
Our best memorial for the loved one gone
Will be the lives that bravely follow on."*

To those many other Masons good and true in this Grand Jurisdiction, who during the year have laid down the working tools of life—sturdy citizens, the real backbone of our civilization, and the upholders and defenders of the worthwhile things in life—many working well and wisely to propagate morality and righteousness in their respective communities—to these shall be accorded due praise for they are, and were, the corner-stone of that invisible Masonic edifice which has been erected in our State by this great fraternity—a Christian civilization.

Burke caught up a great truth and encased it in imperishable speech when he said that "civilization is a contract between three parties—the living, the unborn, and the noble dead".

*"Old age came slowly down the path of years;
I saw him from afar—gray-vested, shadowy;
I turned aside and dallied with my fears.*

*"Fair crystal springs were murmuring by the way;
I lingered, wearied, toying with their depth;
I gathered autumn flowers where bright leaves lay.*

*"I heard the birds—it was their evening song—
I breathed the fragrance of the sleeping flowers;
The shadows on the grass were growing long.*

*"I made as though 'twas morning all the day,
And yet I knew that form was drawing near,
And soon his shadow would engulf the way.*

*"And then he came—his name I would not know—
I only felt the world grown wondrous kind;
We walked together, though his steps were slow.*

*"He told me stories of forgotten days;
The friends and scenes of other years were mine;
The child I once was, came with winning ways.*

*"We walk together now—the Child, Old Age, and I.
Sometimes his shadow darkens all the world,
But there is beauty in the sunset sky,*

*"And far away, above the distant hills,
There is a realm of light, effulgent, mystical,
Whose rays of light shall surely guide us thither,—
When God wills."*

ton, District No. 2, J. F. Marquette, District No. 3, and Jeff L. Nelson, District No. 4.

A map of the Districts is found on page 131 of the 1936 Proceedings, and regulations for the employment of lecturers is found on page 130 of the Proceedings for the same year. If the brethren of the subordinate lodges will refer to these two pages of the 1936 Proceedings it will save lots of letter writing by the officers of these lodges and also save much time for the Grand Lecturer.

The cost to the Grand Lodge of the lecture service for the calendar year 1935 was \$3,175.00 for 127 weeks' service by the Assistant Grand Lecturers, leaving \$825.00 of the appropriation for this service unused.

With improved conditions this total is perhaps slightly less than normal. I hereby recommend that an appropriation of \$4,000 be made at this session of the Grand Lodge to carry on this important work for the coming Masonic year.

This work has cost the Grand Lodge less than it was expected to when this new system was inaugurated in 1933. The appropriation for the years 1933 and 1934 for this work was \$4,800.00 for each year, a healthy part of which was not used and the unused part was turned back into the Grand Lodge Treasury. Every dollar invested in this work pays good dividends in the results obtained.

LEON CASH, *Grand Lecturer.*

NECROLOGY

We honor ourselves when year after year we set aside a definite portion of a session busy with plans for the betterment of the living to honor the memory of our fallen comrades.

The Grand Secretary's report contains the roster of the honorable and honored dead of our sister grand jurisdictions. The list is long; the loss is great. We trust that when God called them they were found worthy and well qualified, and were invested with the pass which gains admission within the tiled recesses of the eternal Grand Lodge.

The only Past Grand Officer of this Grand Lodge who died during the year was Past Grand Treasurer Brother Cornelius M. Vanstory, of Greensboro. One of our dearest friends, we had long loved and respected him. "Van", as he was called, was big in body, big in sympathy, and big in abundant good works. He loved and lived his Masonry. He neither graduated nor retired, but was busy and faithful through a long life on down to the very end. His almost life-long co-workers, P. G. M. John J. Phoenix, has been very appropriately designated to prepare and read a full and extended memoir.

ashes. Honor to his memory. Let the unforgetting love and appreciation of his friends attend him to his journey's end."

His greatest pride over many years was the opportunity to serve in the philanthropic activities of Masonry. As chairman of the Board of Directors of the Masonic & Eastern Star Home from the foundation of this enterprise for our indigent brethren and their dependent ones, to date of his death, Brother Vanstory gave personal attention to the management of our institution. His services were as a volunteer and without compensation.

In the death of our distinguished Brother we have lost a true exponent of the real meaning of a Master Mason. He lived Masonry each day and in a sincere fraternal spirit ministered to the needs of those less fortunate than himself.

We extend to his widow and children our deepest sympathy. He was a noble husband and father and the family has reason to be proud of the life and deeds of their distinguished parent.

Master Masons of North Carolina and other States join in this Memorial to the memory of our departed Brother, Cornelius Monroe Vanstory.

Faternally submitted,

JOHN J. PHOENIX.

The following amendment to the Code was presented and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee and laid over until next year: Amend Chapter XII, Section 101, by inserting therein at the proper place the words "or by ordinary mail with postoffice receipt form 3817 as proof of mailing in each case."

A resolution was offered by Royal Hart Lodge, No. 497, asking for relief from payment of per capita tax on a sick member—referred to Finance Committee and not adopted.

The report of Committee on Masonic and Eastern Star Home was made and referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

Your Committee on the Masonic and Eastern Star Home beg leave to make report as follows:

We commend Brother Geo. R. Bennette and his corps of officers and assistants in the management of the Home and care of our guests. We know that they have an excellent home and are well cared for.

There are few if any institutions more economically managed.

MEMORIAL TO C. M. VANSTORY

To the Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BRETHREN:

Our honored and beloved Brother Cornelius Monroe Vanstory passed to his reward on Sunday, July 21st, 1935, in Greensboro, N. C., at the age of seventy-three years.

His life was filled with continuous service to others. He was a successful merchant in Greensboro for half a century. His genial personality gathered around him a host of devoted friends. His personal interest in orphan children and indigent old people will forever be remembered throughout North Carolina.

Brother Vanstory contributed personal effort to Masonry over a period of more than fifty years. During this time he participated in the most prosperous years of all branches of Masonry. He held the following positions:

SUBORDINATE BODIES

Worshipful Master, Greensboro Lodge, No. 76, A. F. & A. M.

High Priest, Chorazin Chapter, No. 13, R. A. M.

Eminent Commander Ivanhoe Commandery, No. 8, K. T.

Worthy Patron, Greensboro Chapter, No. 14, O. E. S.

GRAND BODIES

Grand Commander, Grand Commandery of N. C. K. T. (1915).

Grand Treasurer, The Grand Lodge of N. C. (1929).

Potentate, Oasis Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. (1927).

Our esteemed Brother further exemplified his philanthropic and benevolent ambitions in being active in the educational and vocational efforts of North Carolina in behalf of colored boys and girls. As a member of important committees of the Agricultural and Technical College for Colored, located in Greensboro, N. C., he gave personal service to this important enterprise. He received this appointment from the Governor of North Carolina and served continuously for many years.

The following tribute was paid to our esteemed Brother on the day after his death:

"Greensboro stands uncovered this morning at the bier of a member of its silent nobility, that unheralded throng of quiet, patient, sterling men and women who are content to listen and to wait and to do, without acclaim, self-effacing and self-forgetting, in the beauty of unobtrusive, faithful devoted living. He had gone in and out among us for fifty years, in health and in extended sickness always the same quiet, kindly, courageous spirit. How life is enriched by such as he. How bereft of beauty life would be but for the serene living of its silent nobility! Peace to his

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

Jan. 30, '35—Creedmoor, 499—Bro. B. E. Stanfield-----	\$100.00
Feb. 11, '35—Ashler, 451—Bro. Jas. S. Greene-----	25.00
Feb. 8, '35—Wiccacon, 240—Bro. J. L. Smith-----	25.00
Feb. 26, '35—Helton, 594—Mrs. Walter Johnson-----	75.00
May 30, '35—Greenville, 284—Bro. R. F. Wendham-----	10.00
July 1, '35—Royal Hart, 497—Bro. W. H. B. Riggan-----	25.00
Aug. 13, '35—North Wilkesboro, 407—Bro. Elmore Kilby--	125.00
Oct. 22, '35—Oxford, 122—Miss Hattie L. Waller-----	50.00
Oct. 22, '35—Goldsboro, 634—Mrs. Georgia Willis-----	50.00
Nov. 5, '35—Royal Hart, 497—Bro. W. H. B. Riggan-----	25.00
Nov. 20, '35—Rolesville, 156—Miss Cornelia Scarborough--	100.00

Total Disbursements-----\$610.00

Appeals from Bro. D. A. Baumgarner, Glenville, No. 551, were rejected, and the application form sent to Doric Lodge, 568, at New Bern, N. C., has never been completed. The amounts appropriated were computed after a careful study of each case as shown by report from the Master of the individual Lodge and were commensurate with recommendations.

Respectfully submitted,

O. A. ALFORD, *Chairman Charity Committee.*

PERMANENT FUND

The Trustees of the Permanent Fund submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1935:

INCOME ACCOUNT

Interest on Deposits-----	\$ 17.36
Interest on Bonds-----	2,745.00
Interest on Notes-----	3,249.33
Total-----	\$6,011.69

EXPENDITURES

Overdraft January 1, 1935-----	\$ 11.00
Court Costs-----	371.00
Attorney's Fees-----	1,536.00
Safety Deposit Box-----	3.30
Paid J. H. Anderson, Grand Secretary-----	4,090.39
Total-----	\$6,011.69

There were no changes or transactions in the principal account.

We hold the following securities:

Four Notes Masonic Temple, \$7,500.00 each-----	\$ 30,000.00
One Note Masonic Temple-----	24,155.43

We recommend that an appropriation of \$12,000.00 be made as usual, for maintenance of the Home.

Respectfully submitted,

F. EUGENE HESTER,
DR. M. A. WADDELL,
L. G. JORDAN,
B. C. NICHOLSON,
Committee.

The report of Committee on Oxford Orphanage was received and referred to the Finance Committee:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We, your Committee on Oxford Orphanage, beg leave to make report as follows:

Some of the members of the Committee have visited the Orphanage this year, and found the children well cared for, contented and happy. Under the supervision of our lovable and capable Superintendent, Brother C. K. Proctor, we find that the Institution is run very economically; in fact, below the average for such Institutions considering the high standards of work done there.

Your Committee heartily endorses the attitude of the Most Worshipful Grand Master in his recommendation to discontinue the St. John's Day Communication at Oxford, for reasons given in his address.

We are pleased to note that the percentage of children of Masonic parentage has increased from 17% in recent years to 47% at the present time.

We recommend that the Grand Lodge be most liberal in its appropriation for the maintenance of Oxford Orphanage.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

G. H. HENDRIX,
W. L. McIVER,
For the Committee.

The report of the Charity Committee was received and adopted.

*To the Most Worshipful Grand Master and Grand Lodge,
A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina:*

Appeals for aid were received from twelve subordinate Lodges during the year 1935. An application for aid was also mailed to another Lodge, but was never returned. Of the twelve appeals received, eleven were approved and one rejected. The approved appeals are listed herewith together with Lodge and amount donated:

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April 15, 1935—Paid J. H. Anderson, Gr. Sec.---	\$312.50
April 15, 1935—Paid J. H. Anderson, Gr. Sec.---	438.50
Oct. 20, 1935—Paid J. H. Anderson, Gr. Sec.---	172.50
Nov. 23, 1935—Paid J. H. Anderson, Gr. Sec.---	70.00
Dec. 23, 1935—Paid J. H. Anderson, Gr. Sec.---	60.00
	<hr/> 1,053.50
Jan. 1, 1936—Balance Cash on hand-----	\$ 209.00

RECAPITULATION

Received from N. C. Bank & Trust Co.-----	\$ 558.52
Received from Security National Bank-----	1,053.50
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Paid to Gr. Lodge and shown in Gr. Secretary's report---	\$1,612.02

C. B. NEWCOMB,
H. C. ALEXANDER,
J. H. ANDERSON,
A. B. ANDREWS.

COMMITTEE ON BY-LAWS

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on By-Laws begs leave to report that numerous changes have been approved in the By-Laws of the lodges.

No serious changes were proposed and all were in accord with the Code.

Fraternally submitted,

J. H. ANDERSON, *Committee.*

Invitations were received from the Grand Lodges of Scotland and Sweden to attend Masonic Celebrations in November, 1936, and referred to the Grand Master for his decision.

COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

The Committee on Appeals made the following report which was adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We, your Committee on Appeals, beg leave to report as follows:

In the case from Clyde Lodge, No. 453, remanded for new trial we find the Code has been complied with and recommend the action of said Lodge be approved.

In the case from Rich Square Lodge, No. 488, the transcript of the trial shows that in several instances the procedure was not

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54 N. C. State Bonds (cost \$53,261.65) par-----	\$ 54,000.00
10 Meredith College Bonds, \$500 each-----	5,000.00
N. C. Bank & Trust Co., Deposit-----	47,500.00
Cash on Hand-----	301.44
Total-----	\$160,956.87

R. C. DUNN,
J. H. ANDERSON,
ALEXANDER B. ANDREWS,
H. C. ALEXANDER.

GRAND SECRETARY'S MEMORIAL FUND

The Trustees of the John C. Drewry Grand Secretary Memorial Fund submit the following report:

Income received by N. C. Bank & Trust Co., Custodian:

Jan. 1, 1935—Cash on hand (see page 149, Pro. 1935)-----	\$120.02
Jan. 3, 1935—Dividends 40 shares Hanes preferred-----	70.00
Jan. 3, 1935—Dividends 65 shares Reynolds "B"-----	48.75
Jan. 3, 1935—Interest \$9,800.00, Mas. Tem. Bonds, 4%---	196.00
Jan. 15, 1935—Dividends 55 shares Amer. T. & T. Co.-----	123.75
Total-----	\$558.52

Jan. 14, 1935—Paid by J. H. Anderson, Grand Secretary---	\$434.77
Feb. 5, 1935—Paid J. H. Anderson, Grand Secretary-----	123.75
Total-----	\$558.52

Income received by Security National Bank, Custodian:

Feb. 18, 1935—Dividends 140 shares P. R. R. Co.-----	\$ 70.00
April 1, 1935—Dividends 40 shares Hanes preferred---	70.00
April 3, 1935—Dividends 65 shares Reynolds "B"-----	48.75
April 15, 1935—Dividends 55 shares Amer. T. & T. Co.---	123.75
July 1, 1935—Dividends 65 shares Reynolds "B"-----	48.75
July 1, 1935—Dividends 40 shares Hanes preferred-----	70.00
July 6, 1935—\$9,800.00 Masonic Temple Bonds, 4%-----	196.00
July 15, 1935—Dividends 55 shares Amer. T. & T.-----	123.75
Oct. 4, 1935—Dividends 65 shares Reynolds "B"-----	48.75
Oct. 15, 1935—Dividends 55 shares Amer. T. & T. Co.---	123.75
Nov. 21, 1935—Dividends 40 shares Hanes preferred-----	70.00
Dec. 24, 1935—Interest Note Grand Lodge, \$1,000.00---	60.00
Dec. 28, 1935—Dividends 65 shares Penn. Road Corp.---	13.00
Dec. 31, 1935—Interest \$9,800.00 Mas. Tem. Bonds-----	196.00
Total-----	\$1,262.50

(6) The object of this plan would be to get the history of the early lodges written by some member who knew and appreciated the local setting and place of the Masonic Lodge in the history and life of the community.

(7) Also that the list of Masons who had served in the confederate army could be compiled and the touch of Masonry with the history of our state be preserved. Also that the list of Masons who served in the war of the revolution 1776-1783 as prepared by Brother Marshall DeLancey Haywood and printed in the 1912 Grand Lodge Proceedings could be amplified and enlarged.

(8) That the usual appropriation of \$250.00 be made for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

J. WALLACE WINBORNE, *Chm.*,

LEON CASH,

ALEXANDER B. ANDREWS,

J. EDWARD ALLEN,

for the Committee.

The Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association made a verbal report.

The Representative to the Masonic Service Association made a verbal report.

The minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge called from labor to refreshment until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

held in accordance with that prescribed in the Code. The trial lodge was set at a special communication and visitors were present during the trial lodge.

We find the judgment of Rich Square Lodge, No. 488, was not according to evidence available because such evidence was not allowed to be presented.

We feel there was a miscarriage of justice in said trial and therefore recommend that the case be remanded for a retrial.

(Signed) C. S. CHAMBERLAIN,
H. L. TAYLOR,
Z. V. SNIPES,
H. KAUFFMAN.

The following resolution was read and adopted:

Resolved:—That it is the sense of the Grand Lodge that the purchase and use of the Claudy books be regarded as a continuous policy; and the subordinate lodges be asked to cooperate fully with the Grand Secretary's office, to the end that these books may be put to the best possible use.

SESQUI-CENTENNIAL

The following report was read and adopted:

Your Committee on the observance of the One Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of the Grand Lodge reports as follows:

(1) Whatever observance is had ought to be at the Grand Lodge Session nearest the Anniversary and not at a time apart therefrom, hence we recommend that whatever observance is had, be at the Grand Lodge Session of 1938.

(2) We further are of the opinion that the preparation and assembly of one or more historical papers which could then be presented and made a permanent record for all future students of Masonic history by including them in the Grand Lodge Proceedings.

(3) We find that it is impracticable to consider anything of a pageant or other dramatic representation as the same is impossible both on account of the monetary outlay necessary, as well as the assembling of a number of interested Masons to portray the same.

(4) We, therefore, recommend that a subcommittee consisting of J. Edward Allen as Chairman, together with Leon Cash and Alexander B. Andrews, be created to work out how the Masonic data can be assembled and what shall be recommended to the Grand Lodge to be printed and included in the Proceedings of 1938.

(5) This committee is authorized and empowered to call to their assistance and to include in their membership such brethren as will prepare sketches of one or more of the lodges established prior to 1825.

No. 487, be laid over for the action of the next Grand Lodge in order to give that lodge an opportunity to assemble and file supporting data to these resolutions.

(Signed) D. E. BULLUCK,
A. G. KLINGLER,
E. L. SOMERS.

The Masonic Temple Committee submitted the following report which was adopted:

The Committee met in the Temple on April 21, 1935, at 4:00 o'clock, P. M. W. S. Liddell was elected Chairman and J. H. Anderson Secretary.

The report of the Auditor shows an operating income of \$7,216.36 and a net income of \$3,299.03 after paying interest on Bonds and Notes held by the Grand Lodge.

The following directors were elected: A. B. Andrews, W. S. Liddell, R. C. Dunn, F. I. Watson, E. W. Timberlake, H. M. Poteat, J. H. Anderson.

Attached to and made a part of this report is a part of the Auditor's report. The full report is in the Grand Secretary's office for inspection at any time.

J. H. ANDERSON, *For the Committee.*

SECOND DAY—NIGHT SESSION

The Grand Lodge was called from refreshment to labor at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic Temple, by M. W. Charles B. Newcomb, Grand Master.

Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain.

The Committee on Lecture Service submitted the following report which was adopted:

LECTURE SERVICE

To the Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Lecture Service recommends the rules for the employment of the Assistant Grand Lecturers as laid down last year, and printed on page 162 of the Proceedings of 1935, be continued in force and we approve the recommendation that the pay be increased from \$25.00 to \$30.00 per week.

C. B. NEWCOMB,
LEON CASH,
J. H. ANDERSON,
S. N. BOYCE.

The following report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations was adopted:

CHARTERS AND DISPENSATIONS

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on Charters and Dispensations beg leave to report as follows:

We believe it to be against the best interest of the Grand Lodge to revive old numbers of lodges unless the proponents of the change can show that at least seven members of the old lodge are members of the new lodge and that there was an unbroken line from the lodge whose number is requested to the lodge proposing the change.

We therefore recommend that the request of Warren Lodge, No. 101, be approved, but that the request of Statesville Lodge,

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PROFIT AND LOSS

Year Ended December 31, 1935

OPERATING INCOME		
Rent of Offices—Commercial	\$ 9,251.69	
Rent of Stores—Commercial	5,219.83	
Rent of Offices and Lodge Room to Mas. Bodies	2,320.00	
TOTAL OPERATING INCOME		\$ 16,791.52
OPERATING EXPENSE		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 3,930.00	
Fuel	820.96	
Power and Light	1,624.94	
Water	336.75	
Repairs	1,565.52	
Insurance	361.91	
Legal and Auditing	50.00	
Premium on Bond of Secretary and Treasurer	37.50	
Elevator Service and Inspection	195.85	
Window Washing	150.00	
Cleaning Furnace	50.00	
Shades	15.50	
Janitor's and Building Supplies and Expense	289.73	
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		\$ 9,628.66
OPERATING PROFIT		\$ 7,162.86
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME		
Interest on North Carolina Bond	\$ 40.00	
Dividends Carolina Power & Light Stock	13.50	53.50
MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME		\$ 7,216.36
Interest on Second Mortgage Bonds	\$ 608.00	
Interest on Notes Payable	3,309.33	3,917.33
PROFIT FOR YEAR		\$ 3,299.03
Less Bad Debts Charged Off		2,614.91
NET GAIN FOR YEAR		\$ 684.12

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BALANCE SHEET ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 1935

ASSETS		
CASH: Wachovia Bank and Trust Company-----	\$ 4,249.50	
Petty Cash	9.15	\$ 4,258.65
RENTS RECEIVABLE	Schedule 1	7,746.60
INVESTMENT: 1922 State of N. C. Highway		
4% Bond at Cost	\$ 936.50	
Three Shares C. P. & L. Company		
6% Preferred Stock at Cost	165.00	1,101.50
FIXED ASSETS—Land and Buildings		175,685.75
DEFERRED CHARGES: Unamortized Balance of		
Cost Remodeling Corner Store—		
4 Year Lease		1,500.00
TOTAL ASSETS		\$190,292.50
LIABILITIES		
INTEREST ON SECOND MORTGAGE BONDS		\$ 524.00
Notes Payable to Grand Lodge of North Carolina		55,155.43
BONDED DEBT: 2nd Mortgage Bonds Outstanding		15,900.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$ 71,579.43
NET WORTH		
Capital Stock, Authorized	\$10,000.00	
Issued and Outstanding	None	
Surplus January 1, 1935	\$118,028.95	
Deduct: Uncollectible Rents—Bad Debts	2,614.91	
	\$115,414.04	
Profit for Year 1935	3,299.03	
NET WORTH		118,713.07
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH		\$190,292.50

T. J. Harkins was elected a Director of the Oxford Orphanage for a term of five years.

Brothers E. R. Ford and R. F. Ebbs were elected Directors of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home for a term of five years. Ben Cone was elected to fill out the unexpired term of C. M. Vanstory.

Brother A. B. Andrews was elected a Director of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation for a term of five years.

Brother J. Edward Allen was elected a representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association.

Brother J. Edward Allen was elected a representative to the Masonic Service Association.

The Finance Committee made the following report which was adopted:

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

For the eighth consecutive year, your committee have to report that they have overestimated the receipts of the Grand Lodge.

We find from the report of the Grand Secretary that his office has received the following amounts, which he has turned over to the Grand Treasurer, and in a parallel column we place the estimate made by our committee at the Grand Lodge of 1935.

These statistics are as follows:

	Actual	Estimated
1 Dues prior Years-----	\$17,681.05	
June 30, 1931-----	\$ 186.00	
June 30, 1932-----	3,283.78	
December 31, 1932-----	3,526.95	
December 31, 1933-----	10,677.23	
	7.09	
2 Dues current Year-----	50,714.94	\$70,730.00
3 Initiations, \$1.00-----	464.00	542.00
4 Charity Fees, \$10.00-----	4,750.00	5,420.00
5 Drewry Fund-----	1,612.02	1,500.00
6 Permanent Fund-----	4,090.39	4,525.00
7 Meredith College Bonds-----		300.00
8 Paid in Advance-----	269.50	
9 Interest-----	22.15	
10 Fines-----	32.50	
11 Dimits-----	291.00	
12 Moore Legacy, Interest-----	60.00	

REPORT OF BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

To the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, A. F. & A. M.:

The Board of Custodians submits the following report:

The annual meeting of the Board and Grand Lecturers was held in the Masonic Temple in Raleigh, North Carolina, April 20, 21, and 22, 1936, at which the following were present: M. W. Charles B. Newcomb, Grand Master; W. Leon Cash, Past Grand Master, Grand Lecturer; Brothers S. N. Boyce, and J. E. Shipman, members of the Board; and Bros. P. C. Stott, J. W. Patton, J. F. Marquette, and Jeff L. Nelson, Assistant Grand Lecturers.

The Committee deeply regrets the inability of our beloved Brother, Edward W. Timberlake, Past Grand Master, to attend this meeting.

The ritualistic work was reviewed and exemplified in the three degrees and we are pleased to advise that the Grand Lecturers are proficient and are cooperating in a fine way to maintain uniformity in the exemplification of the ritual. We feel that a deeper interest in Masonry has been enlisted by the new Lecture Service inaugurated in 1933, and that the good of the Order will be greatly promoted by its continuance. We heartily commend the faithful and efficient service that is being rendered by our Grand Lecturer, W. Leon Cash, and feel that the success of the new plan is largely attributable to his splendid leadership. We also commend the faithful and efficient services that are being rendered by our Assistant Grand Lecturers, Brothers P. C. Stott, J. W. Patton, J. F. Marquette, and Jeff L. Nelson, and recommend them to the incoming Grand Master for reappointment.

Respectfully submitted,

S. N. BOYCE, *Chairman,*

J. E. SHIPMAN, *Secretary.*

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Grand Master announced the hour of election had arrived and appointed the following tellers: J. W. Payne, H. G. Etheridge, W. E. Hand, Harrison Kauffman, and R. T. Allen.

The election resulted as follows:

Grand Master, J. GILES HUDSON-----Salisbury
Deputy Grand Master, WATSON N. SHERROD-----Enfield
Senior Grand Warden, HARRY T. PATERSON---Wilmington
Junior Grand Warden, J. EDWARD ALLEN----Warrenton
Grand Treasurer, HERBERT C. ALEXANDER-----Charlotte
Grand Secretary, JOHN H. ANDERSON-----Raleigh

Expense, (E) Out of State Expense of Representatives, (F) Office Expense, Grand Secretary's Office, (G) Estimated Annual Expenses and Summer Expense and (I) Miscellaneous, are authorizations to spend so much thereof as may be needed, and no more.

Furthermore, we recommend that the Grand Master authorize and direct when the several appropriations shall be paid by the warrant of the Grand Secretary and, furthermore, that the Grand Master have authority when he deems it advisable for the best interest of the Grand Lodge, to suspend the allotment made to any committee, activity or agency.

Furthermore, we recommend that the Grand Master, when he deems it for the good of the Grand Lodge, be authorized, upon written application being made to him, to give written authorization for this budget to be exceeded, or for any department agency or office incur any out of the ordinary expenses not herein provided for.

Furthermore, whenever the Grand Lodge finances will permit, we recommend the Grand Lodge authorize the anticipation of any outstanding notes or obligations by payment before maturity.

OXFORD ORPHANAGE

We make the appropriation for \$45,000.00 for maintenance, as recommended by the Grand Master and approved by the Committee on Oxford Orphanage. Also, bring forward the \$2,175.00 interest on the building debt and \$3,500.00 payment towards its reduction. We would call attention of the Grand Lodge to the fact that these two items are now due for 1933 and 1934.

MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

We make the appropriation for \$11,000.00 as requested in their report and approved by the Committee on Masonic and Eastern Star Home, which has been adopted by the Grand Lodge.

In the budget we include an item of \$150.00 for printing forms for returns of lodges, which the Grand Secretary estimates will last two years.

ESTIMATED INCOME—1936

27,448 Masons at \$2.50	\$68,260.00
585 Initiates at \$1.00	585.00
586 Initiates at \$10.00	5,860.00
585 Books at \$1.00	585.00
Fines	40.00
Drewry Fund	1,500.00
Permanent	5,700.00
Meredith College	300.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
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	\$83,330.00

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13	Miscellaneous	\$ 218.63	\$ 500.00
14	Claudy Books	289.00	
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		\$80,495.18	\$83,847.00
	Less Exchange on Checks	1.57	
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		\$80,493.61	

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

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1935	Jan. 1—Balance on hand	\$ 2,019.56	
	From Grand Secretary	80,493.61	
	(13 different items)		
	Interest on balance	233.33	
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			\$82,746.50
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	Warrants drawn by Gr. Secretary ..	\$79,484.54	
	Tax on Checks26	
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			79,484.80
	Balance December 31, 1935		\$ 3,261.70

UNPAID APPROPRIATIONS

As shown by the books of the Grand Secretary, there are now due and outstanding by the Grand Lodge the following appropriations, which will have to be met.

Oxford Orphanage, maintenance (1933)	\$19,500.00
Oxford Orphanage, interest (1933-1934)	4,350.00
Oxford Orphanage, debt (1933-1934)	7,000.00
Masonic and Eastern Star Home (1933)	11,000.00
Drewry Fund Note (1932)	1,000.00
Rent, three years (1932, 1933 and 1934)	3,150.00
Sesqui-Centennial, two years (1933 and 1934)	500.00
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	\$46,500.00

This amount of \$46,500 will have to be met and should be considered in making up the budget.

In considering the resolution of Royal Hart Lodge, No. 497, the Finance Committee disapproves this resolution, as we consider the case of Brother Hampton Stansbury a matter of charity of the Lodge of which he is a member.

BUDGET

In preparing the budget we recognized that the appropriations in heading (A) Oxford Orphanage, Masonic Home, Charity and Education, (B) Salaries and (C) Masonic Dues, are expected to be for the full amount, while the appropriations (D) Sundry

G. Annual Communication Expense:

1. Expenses Grand Officers.....	\$ 300.00
2. Expenses Past Grand Officers.....	200.00
3. Expenses District Dep. Gr. Masters....	500.00
4. Expenses Custodians and Lecturers....	150.00
5. Expenses Others	50.00
6. Per Diem Credentials Committee.....	30.00
7. Reporting	50.00
8. Past Grand Master's Jewel.....	100.00
9. Past Grand Master's Apron.....	50.00
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	\$ 1,430.00

H. Summer Expense:

1. District Deputy Grand Masters.....	600.00
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	\$ 600.00

I. Miscellaneous:

1. Contingent.....	\$1,000.00
2. Grand Masters' Expense, additional....	775.00
3. Printing Forms for Lodge Returns....	150.00
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	\$ 1,925.00

A. Oxford Orphanage, Masonic Home and Charity.....	\$62,675.00
B. Salaries.....	5,900.00
C. Masonic Dues	835.00
D. Sundry Expense	8,625.00
E. Expenses Representative Outside of State.....	330.00
F. Expense Grand Secretary's Office.....	1,650.00
G. Annual Communication Expense.....	1,430.00
H. Summer Expense	600.00
I. Miscellaneous.....	1,925.00

\$83,970.00

Estimated Receipts 83,330.00

Excess Appropriations over Receipts.....\$ 640.00

REPORT OF JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

The Jurisprudence Committee submitted the following report which was adopted with exception of item No. 3, proposed regulation No. 273:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Jurisprudence Committee respectfully submits the following report:

REGULATIONS APPROVED

We recommend the adoption of regulations numbers 271, 272, 273 and 274 presented at this Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge and referred to this committee as follows:

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A. Oxford Orphanage, Masonic Home and Charity:

1. Oxford Orphanage	\$50,675.00	
Maintenance	\$45,000.00	
Interest on Building Debt_	2,175.00	
Payment on Debt.....	3,500.00	
2. Masonic and Eastern Star Home.....	11,000.00	
3. Charity	1,000.00	
		\$62,675.00

B. Salaries:

1. Grand Secretary	\$ 3,600.00	
2. Grand Treasurer	100.00	
3. Grand Tiler	100.00	
4. Foreign Correspondent	300.00	
5. Clerical Help (Grand Secretary).....	1,800.00	
		\$ 5,900.00

C. Masonic Dues:

1. Masonic Service Association.....	\$ 800.00	
2. Grand Master's Conference.....	25.00	
3. Grand Secretary's Guild.....	10.00	
		\$ 835.00

D. Sundry Expense:

1. Grand Master's Expense.....	\$ 600.00	
2. Grand Secretary's Travel Expense....	500.00	
3. Grand Lecturers	4,000.00	
4. Auditing	700.00	
5. Grand Historian	100.00	
6. Bonds	125.00	
7. Printing Proceedings	1,650.00	
8. Sesqui-Centennial	250.00	
9. Masonic Education	200.00	
10. Lodge Service Commission.....	500.00	
		\$ 8,625.00

E. Expenses Representative Outside of State:

1. Gr. Master's Conference—Gr. Master..	\$ 50.00	
2. Gr. Master's Conference—Gr. Sec.....	50.00	
3. Visit other Grand Lodges—Gr. Master..	75.00	
4. Visit other Grand Lodges—Gr. Sec.....	75.00	
5. George Washington Memorial.....	50.00	
6. Masonic Service Association.....	30.00	
		\$ 330.00

F. Expense Grand Secretary's Office:

1. Rent.....	\$1,050.00	
2. Postage, Printing, etc.....	600.00	
		\$ 1,650.00

recommend its adoption as follows. Amend Regulation 40, page 21, of the Code, to make it read as follows:

Regulation No. 40:—Auditor. Compensation. (a) For services rendered as required in Section 14, paragraph 8, the auditor shall receive annually not to exceed \$750.00, payment to be made on presentation of complete audit reports, provided, however, that should unusual conditions, in the opinion of the auditor, require special investigations or unusual services of the auditor, he shall report such conditions to the Grand Master, proceeding with such investigations or services only on instructions from the Grand Master, who shall have the power to authorize additional compensation for such services. Such compensation shall be in full for such services rendered for Grand Lodge and no officer or institution named in Section 14, paragraph (8) shall include in any of their budgets or pay for this same service, any additional sum whatever. (b) Written reports of such audits shall be filed with the Grand Master not less than thirty days prior to the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge each year, copies of which, in such number as may be required, shall be furnished by the auditor to each of said institutions, corporations, committees or enterprises.

(Annotate to Section 28, page 21, of the Code.)

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION APPROVED

6. Resolution to amend Section 139 offered at the stated communication of the Grand Lodge of 1935 (Proceedings, page 60) is approved and we recommend its adoption to amend Section 139 of the Code to make it read as follows:

Sec. 139—Same—Dimits to Members. (a) A dimit to one who was a member of a lodge which has become defunct shall be issued by the Grand Secretary, upon such member making application therefor and satisfying the Grand Secretary by lawful information that he was a member of said defunct lodge; also paying the Grand Secretary the amount of his indebtedness to his former (defunct) lodge, not exceeding two years' per capita tax. The same rule shall apply to all persons who were suspended for non-payment of dues by said lodge prior to the time the lodge became defunct. (b) Where a lodge becomes defunct an Entered Apprentice or Fellow Craft of such defunct lodge shall be the material of the lodge nearest his residence, if in North Carolina, and if a non-resident of North Carolina, then the material of the lodge nearest the defunct lodge, and upon filing of the Certificate of the Grand Secretary of his standing in the defunct lodge, he shall then have the same status quo in the lodge acquiring jurisdiction as he had in the defunct lodge.

1. Regulation 271. RELATING TO TRIAL LODGE. As set forth in sections 183, 241, and 244 of the Constitution, if there is a plea of guilty, or if there is a failure to plead where there is personal service, the Lodge shall proceed to fix the penalty at the stated communication to which the accused is summoned to appear under Section 162, and no trial lodge is to be held.

(Annotate to Sections 162, 183, 241, 244, and 245.)

2. Regulation 272. SUSPENSION OF OFFICERS. The Master of a lodge may suspend from office any elective or appointive officer of his lodge for failure to perform the duties of the office or for misconduct, which suspensions must be reported to the Grand Master within ten days, and shall become permanent when approved by the Grand Master. The Master shall report his action to his lodge at the next stated communication after suspension has been confirmed by the Grand Master.

(Annotate to Section 88 (5), page 43, of the Code.)

3. Regulation 273. LIFE MEMBERSHIP. A lodge cannot hereafter create a life member merely for continuous membership for any specified number of years therein, nor can a lodge relieve a member of the payment of dues not accrued.

[This section of the Committee's report was rejected and this proposed regulation was not adopted.]

4. While we approve the interpretation of and certain decisions of the Grand Master in his report as being fully in accord with Sub-section 6, section 151, Chapter XXIII, of the code as written however we point out that since the adoption of the code in 1924 it is the opinion of your committee that the changed conditions call for a more liberal construction of Sub-section 6, section 151, Chapter XXIII, of the code. We therefore recommend the adoption of the following regulation as being the construction to be hereafter placed on Sub-section 6 of Section 151 of the code:

Regulation No. 274: Interpretation relating to Intoxicating Beverages:—A member or employee of an Alcoholic Beverage Control Board or other governmental liquor control board or agency, by whatever name called or designated, duly established in accordance with the laws of North Carolina, who acts in the capacity of a governmental agent shall not be guilty of violation of paragraphs A and B of Sub-section 6 of Section 151 of the code as amended, unless such member or such clerk shall solicit purchasers for intoxicating liquors.

(Annotate to Section 151 (6), page 94, of the Code.)

AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS

5. The proposed amendment to Regulation 40 (page 21 of the Code) presented at this Annual Communication, was referred to this Committee as provided in Chapter XXX of the Code, and we

(c) To simplify the procedure for dealing with members of subordinate lodges delinquent in the payment of their dues.

LODGE SERVICE COMMISSION

13. We approve the recommendation of the Grand Master that a lodge Service Commission be formed, and we recommend that a commission of not less than three nor more than nine members be established with power in the Grand Master to fix the number thereof within the limits named and to appoint the members; and that this commission or any of its authorized agents or representatives shall have power to investigate subordinate lodges, call for and examine the lodge records, books and accounts; subpoena and require the attendance of such Masonic witnesses as may be deemed advisable, all under the direction of the Grand Master. The commission in such investigation as it may conduct shall ascertain and report in writing to the Grand Master and to the Grand Lodge all the facts pertinent to the inquiry and their recommendation in each case. The members of the commission and their duly authorized agents and representatives shall be reimbursed for such reasonable expenses as may be incurred in the performance of their duties under the foregoing provisions.

DISCONTINUANCE OF ST. JOHN'S DAY SPECIAL COMMUNICATION

14. Your committee approves the recommendation of the Grand Master that the meeting of the Grand Lodge at Oxford on St. John's Day be discontinued.

MISCELLANEOUS

15. The recommendation of the Grand Master to require the annual returns of each lodge that it show the financial status of its membership at the end of the year and such other data as will reflect its financial condition is approved by this committee, the details thereof to be worked out by the Grand Secretary.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE

16. The following amendments to the Code were proposed and will lie over until the Annual Communication of 1937 as provided in Chapter XXX of the Code.

Amend Grand Lodge Constitution. Chapter XII, Section No. 101. Insert therein at proper places following permission: "**** or by ordinary first class mail with postoffice receipt form No. 3817 as proof of mailing in each case ****"

AMENDMENT SECTION II.

Be it resolved by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina that Chapter II of the 1924 Code, as amended, be amended by striking out said chapter in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

ORDERS AND DISPENSATIONS

7. All of the orders and dispensations as reported by the Grand Master are approved.

DECISIONS

8. Your Committee approves all of the decisions reported by the Grand Master.

LODGES CHANGING MEETING PLACES

9. The change of meeting places as provided in regulation 141, as consented to by the Grand Master and reported by him, are approved and we recommend the approval by the Grand Lodge.

1. The removal of Henry F. Grainger Lodge, No. 412, from Dabney, N. C., to Salem Cross Roads, N. C.

2. The removal of Linville Lodge, No. 489, from Montezuma, N. C., to Newland, N. C.

3. The removal of Cranberry Lodge, No. 598, from Cranberry, N. C., to Elk Park, N. C.

THE LECTURE SERVICE

10. We approve the recommendation of the Grand Master that the present plan of lecture service approved by the Grand Lodge in 1933, in 1934 and in 1935 be continued.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES

11. This Committee approves the recommendation of the Grand Master that the resolution adopted by the Grand Lodge of 1935 (page 61 of Proceedings) allowing not more than 5c per mile actually travelled by District Deputy Grand Master for one official inspection of each lodge in his district be approved and continued in force by this Grand Lodge.

REVISION OF CODE AND ANDREWS' DIGEST

12. This Committee approves the recommendation of the Grand Master to revise the Code and Andrews' Digest and we recommend that the Grand Lodge make provisions for the revision of the Code and Andrews' Digest and we recommend that the Grand Master, Chas. B. Newcomb, with such assistance as he may choose, be selected to perform this important work. Your Committee is of the opinion that the proposed revision of the Code will take care of the following recommendations of the Grand Master, and therefore no action thereon is necessary at this Annual Communication:

(a) To provide funds in a reasonable amount for a more intimate personal contact with our lodges by the administrative officers of the Grand Lodge.

(b) To provide a commission form of trial for Masonic offenses.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

The Grand Chaplain,
 The Grand Lecturer,
 The Assistant Grand Lecturers,
 The Grand Tyler,
 The Grand Historian,
 The Grand Librarian,
 The Grand Orator,
 The District Deputy Grand
 Masters.

(c) The Grand Master shall appoint the following officers to serve *pro tempore* during each communication of Grand Lodge, each of the offices so filled to become vacant at the close of the communication for which the appointment was made:

The Senior Grand Deacon,
 The Junior Grand Deacon,
 The Grand Marshal,
 The Grand Stewards.

(3) *Installation.*

All officers of Grand Lodge except those provided for in Section 7, paragraph 2, (c) shall be installed, each in his own proper person, by the Grand Master, or by a Past Grand Master or Past Master, under the direction of the Grand Master, either in Grand Lodge or a Subordinate Lodge.

(4) *Succession.*

In the event of the death or permanent incapacity of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master shall succeed to the office of and be installed Grand Master for the unexpired term.

(5) *Eligibility for Office in Grand Lodge.*

Only Masters and Past Masters of Subordinate Lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction are eligible for election or appointment to the following offices:

Grand Master,
 Deputy Grand Master,
 Senior Grand Warden,
 Junior Grand Warden,
 Grand Lecturer,
 District Deputy Grand Master.

Any Master Mason, a member of a Subordinate Lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction, shall be eligible to appointment to any other office of Grand Lodge.

(6) *How Chosen—Compensation.*

(a) Election shall be by secret ballot, except that by unanimous consent of the members present the following officers may be elected by acclamation:

CHAPTER II.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS, MEMBERS AND REGISTRATION

Section 7. (1) *Grand Lodge Officers.* The officers of Grand Lodge are as follows:

Title	Appellation
Grand Master.....	<i>Most Worshipful</i>
Deputy Grand Master.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Senior Grand Warden.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Junior Grand Warden.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Treasurer.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Secretary.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Chaplains.....	<i>Right Reverend</i>
Grand Lecturer.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Assistant Grand Lecturers.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Senior Grand Deacon.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Junior Grand Deacon.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Marshal.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Stewards.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Tyler.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Historian.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Librarian.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
Grand Orator.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>
District Deputy Grand Masters.....	<i>Right Worshipful</i>

(a) Past Grand Masters are entitled to the appellation ‘Most Worshipful’, other Past Grand Officers to the appellation ‘Right Worshipful’.

Reg. 5. Expenses of Grand Lodge Officers. At each annual communication the Grand Treasurer shall tender to the Grand Lodge Officers, the Past Grand Masters, the members of the Board of General Purposes, the members of the Board of Custodians, the members of the Finance Committee, the members of the Jurisprudence Committee, and the members of the Committee on Appeals, reimbursement for their expenses incurred in attending said annual communication.

(2) *Election and Appointment.*

(a) The following officers shall be elected annually by ballot:

The Grand Master,
The Deputy Grand Master,
The Senior Grand Warden,
The Junior Grand Warden,
The Grand Treasurer,
The Grand Secretary.

(b) The following officers shall be appointed annually, or when vacancies occur, by the Grand Master:

(5) Representatives of Other Grand Lodges near the Grand Lodge of North Carolina.

Reg. 6. *Attendance at Grand Lodge.* All members entitled to vote in Grand Lodge must attend the daily sittings of Grand Lodge, and be in their seats at all times when Grand Lodge is in session. They are honored by this service, and are wronging Grand Lodge by neglecting this duty.

Reg. 7. *Who Votes.* Every member of Grand Lodge must vote, if present, unless excused. The same rule applies to voting in a Subordinate Lodge.

Section 9. *Registration.*

Officers and all members and representatives of Grand Lodge must register in the Grand Secretary's Office, and file their credentials with the Committee on Credentials and obtain their jewels, or badges, before taking their seats in Grand Lodge.

Reg. 8. *Credentials of Representatives.* Every representative to Grand Lodge (whether elected by the Lodge or appointed the proxy of any officer) must be furnished with a certificate of election or appointment, under the seal of the Lodge, attested by the Secretary, the form to be furnished by the Grand Secretary, which shall state that he is a Master Mason; and all credentials must be handed to the Committee on Credentials. No person shall represent any Subordinate Lodge, other than its constitutional officers, either as a delegate or proxy, unless he produces proper written authority therefor.

Reg. 258. *Lodge Cited to Appear if Not Represented for Three Successive Years.* Lodges which are not represented, as provided by law for such representation, in three successive Annual Communications of Grand Lodge, shall be cited to appear before the Grand Master and show cause why they should not be deprived of their charters.

We congratulate the Grand Master on his wonderful work during the past year. And commend him for the faithful service he has rendered to the Grand Lodge and to the Masons of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. DUNN, P. G. M., *Chairman*,
THOMAS J. HARKINS, G. M.,
W. N. SHERROD, S. G. W.,
J. W. WINBORNE, P. G. M.,
H. T. PATERSON, J. G. W.,
J. E. SHIPMAN, G. S.,
J. GILES HUDSON, D. G. M.,
JOHN S. MCEACHERN, D. D. G. M.
H. M. FOY, D. D. G. M.,
J. W. PAYNE, P. M.

The Grand Master,
The Deputy Grand Master,
The Senior Grand Warden,
The Junior Grand Warden,
The Grand Treasurer,
The Grand Secretary.

(b) The Grand Master must receive two-thirds of the vote, cast, other elective officers a majority of the vote cast.

(c) Nominations for any elective office may be made either in writing or from the floor. A nomination in writing must bear the proper signature of the member making the nomination and may bear the endorsement of a Subordinate Lodge over its seal, and may be presented through the Grand Secretary.

Reg. 9. *Election by Single Ballot.* In case there be but one member mentioned for any office, it would be within the usage and constitutional provision to entertain a motion that the Secretary (or brother named) be requested to cast a ballot on behalf of the Lodge for the brother, but the vote for such action must be unanimous.

(d) Except as otherwise provided, the Grand Lodge shall fix annually, by resolution, the amount of salary, if any, to be paid its officers; failing to do so, the salaries of the preceding year shall obtain.

Section 8. MEMBERS.

The members of Grand Lodge shall be members in good standing in Subordinate Lodges of this Grand Jurisdiction and are as follows:

- (1) Past Masters of Subordinate Lodges.
- (2) Representatives of Subordinate Lodges.

(a) The Master, Wardens and Secretary are ex-officio the representatives of their Lodge in Grand Lodge. In case of inability of any or all of these officers to attend the sessions of Grand Lodge, the Lodge may elect not more than four representatives; but in case the Lodge does not elect a representative or representatives, the Master, Wardens and Secretary failing to attend may appoint their proxies. Such representative or proxy shall be a member in good standing of the same Lodge as the said Master, Wardens or Secretary and shall be entitled to the same rights and privileges as his principal.

(b) No Grand Master or other officer of Grand Lodge, except those appointed *pro tempore* under Section 7, paragraph 2, (c), during his continuance in office, shall be a representative of a Subordinate Lodge or a proxy for any Master, Warden or Secretary.

- (3) Assistant Grand Lecturers.
- (4) Members of Committees and Boards of Grand Lodge.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION

Thursday, April 23, 1936.

The Grand Lodge was called from refreshment to labor at 10:00 o'clock, a. m., in the Masonic Temple by M. W. Charles B. Newcomb, Grand Master.

Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain.

The following telegram was received:

"JOHN H. ANDERSON, *Grand Secretary*, Grand Lodge of N. C.

"Spencer Lodge, No. 543, expresses their deep appreciation through you to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina for electing J. Giles Hudson Grand Master for the ensuing year, who was initiated, passed and raised in Spencer Lodge, No. 543, June 5, 1913. This resolution passed in lodge assembled.

"J. E. CONNELL, *Secretary*."

The Masters of Fulton Lodge, No. 99, and Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 576, expressed their appreciation of the honor bestowed upon their fellow townsman.

The Masonic Temple Committee was announced and confirmed. (See list of Committees).

The Grand Master-elect announced his appointments and the following officers were then installed:

<i>Grand Master</i>	J. GILES HUDSON.....	Salisbury
<i>Deputy Grand Master</i>	WATSON N. SHERROD.....	Enfield
<i>Senior Grand Warden</i>	HARRY T. PATERSON.....	Wilmington
<i>Junior Grand Warden</i>	J. EDWARD ALLEN.....	Warrenton
<i>Grand Treasurer</i>	HERBERT C. ALEXANDER.....	Charlotte
<i>Grand Secretary</i>	JOHN H. ANDERSON.....	Raleigh
<i>Grand Lecturer</i>	LEON CASH.....	Winston-Salem
<i>Junior Grand Deacon</i>	C. P. ELDRIDGE.....	Raleigh
<i>Grand Marshal</i>	J. E. SHIPMAN.....	Hendersonville
<i>Grand Steward</i>	JULIUS C. HOBBS.....	Wilmington
<i>Grand Tiler</i>	W. D. TERRY.....	Raleigh

The Foreign Correspondent made a verbal report about written report to be ready about June 1st and mailed separately.

The minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge called from labor to refreshment until 10:00 Thursday morning.

REGULATIONS FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF LECTURERS

The State shall be divided into four Districts as shown by the accompanying map:

Ist. District—P. C. Stott, Wendell, N. C.

2nd. District—J. W. Patton, Elon College, N. C.

3rd. District—J. F. Marquette, Statesville, N. C.

4th. District—Jeff L. Nelson, Morganton, N. C.

It shall be the duty of the Lecturer of each District to communicate with the Lodges in his District and arrange such a schedule of visits as will enable him to serve each Lodge in his District one week each two years. No Lodge shall receive more than one week's service each two years at the expense of the Grand Lodge, but any Lodge may engage the service of either authorized Lecturer, with the consent of the Grand Lecturer, provided it does not interfere with the work in his own District.

The Lecturers shall confine their work to the District to which they are assigned (except as provided above).

The Masters of the Lodges served shall certify to the Grand Secretary the satisfactory performance of the work and upon such proper certification the Grand Secretary shall issue, semi-monthly, a voucher to the Lecturer, at the rate of \$30.00 per week for the work performed.

The Lecturers shall be assigned to the Districts by the Grand Lecturer and the assignments may be changed at his discretion.

A record shall be kept in the office of the Grand Secretary of all work performed, showing the Lodges lectured, together with the date of the service and the name of the Lecturer.

The Lodges desiring the services of a Lecturer shall apply to the Grand Lecturer, stating such time as will be convenient.

The following appointments were made:

<i>Grand Auditor</i> -----	K. W. PARHAM-----	Raleigh
<i>Grand Orator</i> -----	WILSON WARLICK-----	Newton
<i>Foreign Correspondent</i> -----	J. EDWARD ALLEN-----	Warrenton
<i>Board of General Purposes</i> -----	H. M. POTEAT-----	Wake Forest
<i>Board of Custodians</i> -----	H. M. POTEAT-----	Wake Forest

ASSISTANT GRAND LECTURERS

P. C. STOTT J. W. PATTON J. F. MARQUETTE JEFF L. NELSON

A Past Grand Master's Jewel was presented to the retiring Grand Master, Charles B. Newcomb, by Past Grand Master Leon Cash.

A Grand Master's apron was presented to Grand Master Hudson by Past Grand Master John J. Phoenix.

Mt. Hermon Lodge, No. 118, was requested to install Bro. Thos. J. Harkins, Senior Grand Deacon.

Spencer Lodge, No. 543, was requested to install Bro. James W. Payne, Grand Steward.

There being no further business the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge closed in ample form.

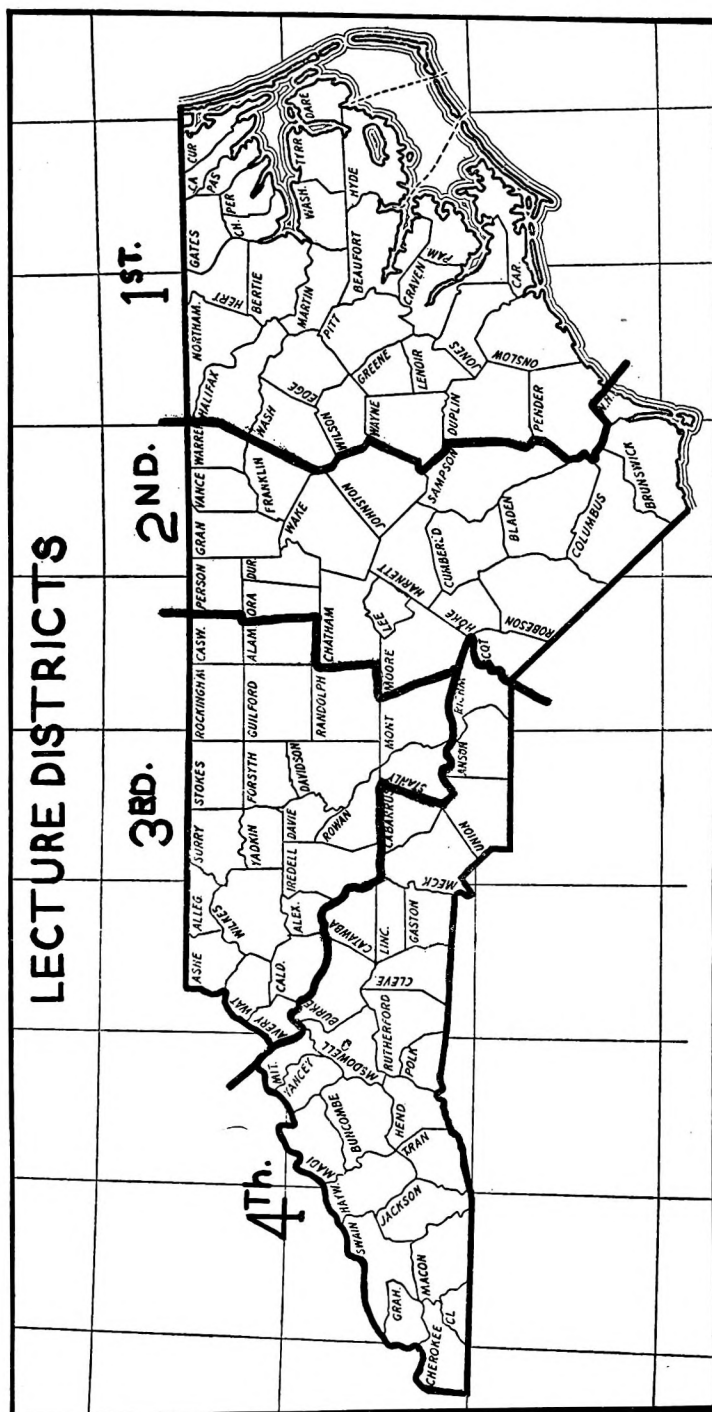


[Signature]
Grand Master.

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Grand Secretary.

LECTURE DISTRICTS



Special Communications

4. Copies of Salisbury Post Bearing upon History of the Hospital.

5. Tickets used for Garden Fete, October 9, 1935, at Box Wood (the home of Mrs. W. R. Craig).

6. Present Officers of Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M.

7. Officers of Grand Lodge and other Masons Participating in Laying the Corner Stone.

8. Brief Histories as follows:

- a. Fulton Lodge, No. 99, A. F. & A. M., Salisbury, N. C.
- b. Scotch-Ireland, No. 154, A. F. & A. M., Cleveland, N. C.
- c. Eureka, No. 283, A. F. & A. M., China Grove, N. C.
- d. Spencer, No. 543, A. F. & A. M., Spencer, N. C.
- e. Andrew Jackson, No. 576, A. F. & A. M., Salisbury, N. C.
- f. Keller Memorial, No. 657, A. F. & A. M., Rockwell, N. C.
- g. Chapter Royal Arch Masons, No. 20, Salisbury, N. C.
- h. Adoniram Council, No. 2, Select Masters, Salisbury, N. C.
- i. Salisbury Commandery, K. T., Salisbury, N. C.

9. Rowan County and Salisbury, by Hon. Walter Murphy.

10. Samuel G. Hart Post, No. 14, American Legion, Salisbury, N. C.

11. Sons of American Legion, Salisbury, N. C.

12. Boy Scouts of America, Salisbury, N. C.

The Grand Lodge returned to the lodge room and was closed in ample form.

ATTEST:

J. H. ANDERSON, *Grand Secretary.*

CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, *Grand Master.*

SALISBURY, N. C.

Salisbury, N. C., October 17, 1935.

A special communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina was held in the Masonic Hall at Salisbury, North Carolina, on Thursday, October 17, 1935, at 2:30, p. m., o'clock.

The Grand Lodge was opened in ample form with the following officers present:

M. W. C. B. NEWCOMB	Grand Master
R. W. J. GILES HUDSON	Deputy Grand Master
R. W. D. M. MCLEAN (596) as	Senior Grand Warden
R. W. J. W. PAYNE (543) as	Junior Grand Warden
R. W. J. E. HAYNES (576) as	Grand Treasurer
R. W. J. H. ANDERSON	Grand Secretary
R. W. HARVEY A. COX	Grand Chaplain
W. W. R. SMITH (500) as	Grand Lecturer
W. S. A. RUSSELL (99) as	Senior Grand Deacon
W. TOM VAN POOLE (576) as	Junior Grand Deacon
W. J. F. HARRELLSON (99) as	Grand Marshal
W. C. P. ELDRIDGE	Grand Steward
W. EARL BLALOCK (99) as	Grand Steward
W. W. D. TERRY	Grand Tiler

PAST GRAND MASTERS PRESENT

J. LeGrand Everett J. H. Anderson.

The Grand Master announced the special communication was called for the purpose of laying the corner stone of the Memorial Hospital.

The Grand Lodge proceeded to the grounds of the hospital where the stone was laid according to the Ancient Masonic Ritual.

The box contained the following articles:

1. Preliminary Meeting and Organization—March 22, 1933.
2. List of Contributors to the Hospital.
3. History of the Hospital to Date by Dr. J. E. Stokes and Dr. F. B. Marsh.

Copy of Loan and Grant Agreement.

Copy of Loan and Grant Amendatory.

Copy of Deed of Trust.

List of First Incorporated Hospital Trustees of North Carolina, Rex Hospital, 1841.

List of Trustees 1896 who signed Diplomas of first Graduating Class of Nurses in North Carolina.

Copy of Program of the 30th Anniversary of the Organization of North Carolina.

Cap worn by Miss Coker, Director of Nurses (Asso. of Nurses).

Cap of Miss Triplett, Senior Nurse.

List of Present Trustees and Administrator.

After an address by Senator J. W. Bailey the Grand Lodge returned to the lodge room and was closed in ample form.

ATTEST:

J. H. ANDERSON, *Grand Secretary.*

CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, *Grand Master.*

RALEIGH, N. C.

Raleigh, N. C., November 15, 1935.

A special communication of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina was held in the Masonic Hall in Raleigh, North Carolina, on Friday, November 15, 1935, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

The Grand Lodge was opened in ample form with the following officers present:

M. W. CHAS. B. NEWCOMB	Grand Master
R. W. HARRISON KAUFFMAN as	Deputy Grand Master
R. W. EDWIN W. YATES as	Senior Grand Warden
R. W. HARRY T. PATERSON	Junior Grand Warden
R. W. W. R. SMITH as	Grand Treasurer
R. W. J. H. ANDERSON	Grand Secretary
R. W. HARVEY A. COX	Grand Chaplain
W. D. T. MOORE as	Grand Lecturer
W. J. EDWARD ALLEN	Senior Grand Deacon
W. A. B. GOETZE as	Junior Grand Deacon
W. R. T. DANIEL as	Grand Marshal
W. CHAS. P. ELDRIDGE	Grand Steward
W. R. L. EDWARDS as	Grand Steward
W. W. D. TERRY	Grand Tiler

The Grand Master announced the special communication was called for the purpose of laying the corner stone of the new Rex Hospital.

The Grand Lodge proceeded to the grounds of the hospital where the stone was laid according to the Ancient Masonic Ritual.

The box contained the following articles:

The Last Will and Testament of John Rex.

List of Officers of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, A. F. & A. M.

Penny dated 1840, donated by J. L. Upchurch, Apex, N. C.

Copy News and Observer.

Copy Raleigh Times.

GRAND OFFICERS (ELECTIVE) OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM ORGANIZATION IN 1787 TO 1936

	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Senior Gr. Warden	Junior Gr. Warden	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary
1787	Samuel Johnston.....	Richard Caswell.....	Richard Ellis.....	Michael Payne.....	Abner Neale.....	James Glasgow
1788	Richard Caswell.....	Michael Payne.....	James Glasgow.....	Silas White Arnett.....	Stephen Cabarrus.....	William J. Dawson
1789	Samuel Johnston.....	James Glasgow.....	Silas White Arnett.....	Lunsford Long.....	Stephen Cabarrus.....	William J. Dawson
1790	Samuel Johnston.....	James Glasgow.....	Stephen Cabarrus.....	Isaac Gulon.....	Frederick Hargett.....	Mathias Handy
1791	Samuel Johnston.....	James Glasgow.....	Stephen Cabarrus.....	Gunsford Long.....	Frederick Hargett.....	Mathias Handy
1792	Wm. Richardson Davie.....	James Glasgow.....	Lunsford Long.....	John Macon.....	Frederick Hargett.....	James Ellis
1793	Wm. Richardson Davie.....	James Glasgow.....	John Macon.....	John Macon.....	Frederick Hargett.....	Richard W. Freear
1794	Wm. Richardson Davie.....	James Glasgow.....	John Lewis Taylor.....	John Ingles.....	Walter Alvis.....	Richard W. Freear
1795	Wm. Richardson Davie.....	James Glasgow.....	John Lewis Taylor.....	Henry Hill.....	John Macon.....	Robert Williams
1796	Wm. Richardson Davie.....	James Glasgow.....	John Lewis Taylor.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Richard W. Freear.....	Robert Williams
1797	Wm. Richardson Davie.....	James Glasgow.....	John Lewis Taylor.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Henry Potter.....	Robert Williams
1798	Wm. Richardson Davie.....	James Glasgow.....	John Lewis Taylor.....	David Caldwell.....	Henry Potter.....	Robert Williams
1799	William Folk.....	John Haywood.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Waigstall Avery.....	Henry Potter.....	Robert Williams
1800	William Folk.....	John Louis Taylor.....	Montfort Stokes.....	John Winslow.....	Henry Potter.....	Robert Williams
1801	William Folk.....	John Louis Taylor.....	Montfort Stokes.....	William Duff.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1802	John Louis Taylor.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Nathaniel Alexander.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1803	John Louis Taylor.....	Montfort Stokes.....	John Hall.....	Robert Cochran.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1804	John Louis Taylor.....	Montfort Stokes.....	John Hall.....	William Duff.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1805	John Hall.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Robert Cochran.....	Robert Duff.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1806	John Hall.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Robert Cochran.....	William Duff.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1807	John Hall.....	Montfort Stokes.....	Benjamin Smith.....	William Duff.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1808	Benjamin Smith.....	Robert Williams.....	Geo. Lee Davidson.....	Geo. Lee Davidson.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1809	Benjamin Smith.....	Robert Williams.....	Benjamin Smith.....	Andrew Caldwell.....	William Boyan.....	Thomas L. Williams
1810	Benjamin Smith.....	Robert Williams.....	Geo. Lee Davidson.....	Calvin Jones.....	William Boyan.....	Thomas L. Williams
1811	Robert Williams.....	Jeremiah Slade.....	Calvin Jones.....	Geo. Lee Davidson.....	William Boyan.....	Thomas L. Williams
1812	Robert Williams.....	Jeremiah Slade.....	Calvin Jones.....	Geo. Lee Davidson.....	William Boyan.....	Alexander Lucas
1813	Robert Williams.....	Jeremiah Slade.....	Calvin Jones.....	William Miller.....	William Boyan.....	Alexander Lucas
1814	Robert Williams.....	Jeremiah Slade.....	Calvin Jones.....	William Miller.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1815	John Louis Taylor.....	Jeremiah Slade.....	Calvin Jones.....	William Miller.....	William Boyan.....	Robert Williams
1816	John Louis Taylor.....	Kemp Plummer.....	Calvin Jones.....	William Miller.....	William Boyan.....	Alexander Lucas
1817	Calvin Jones.....	John Winslow.....	James Iredell.....	Simmons J. Baker.....	William Boyan.....	Alexander Lucas
1818	Calvin Jones.....	John Winslow.....	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	Leonard Henderson.....	William Boyan.....	Alexander Lucas
1819	Calvin Jones.....	James Iredell.....	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	Leonard Henderson.....	William Boyan.....	Alexander Lucas
1820	John Adams Cameron.....	Frederick Nash.....	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	John C. Ehringhaus.....	William Boyan.....	Bazaleel Gillett
1821	John Adams Cameron.....	James Iredell.....	Jas. Strudwick Smith.....	Joseph H. Bryan.....	William Boyan.....	Benjamin A. Barham
1822	Robert Strange.....	Francis Lister Hawks.....	Thomas Clancy.....	Richard D. Spaight.....	William Boyan.....	Benjamin A. Barham
1823	Robert Strange.....	Francis Lister Hawks.....	Thomas A. Pasteur.....	Bazaleel Gillett.....	William Boyan.....	Alexander J. Lawrence
1824	Futchins Gordon Burton.....	Francis Lister Hawks.....	George E. Sprull.....	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	Benjamin A. Barham.....	Alexander J. Lawrence
1825	Futchins Gordon Burton.....	Francis Lister Hawks.....	George E. Sprull.....	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	Benjamin A. Barham.....	Alexander J. Lawrence
1826	Futchins Gordon Burton.....	Francis Lister Hawks.....	George E. Sprull.....	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	Benjamin A. Barham.....	Alexander J. Lawrence
1827	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	John E. Lewis.....	George E. Sprull.....	Jesse Speight.....	Benjamin A. Barham.....	Alexander J. Lawrence
1828	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	John Owen.....	James Grant.....	Samuel F. Patterson.....	Benjamin A. Barham.....	John C. Stedman
1829	Louis Dicken Wilson.....	John Owen.....	James Grant.....	Samuel F. Patterson.....	Benjamin A. Barham.....	John C. Stedman
1830	Richard Dobbs Spaight.....	Samuel F. Patterson.....	George Blair.....	John Hill Wheeler.....	Benjamin A. Barham.....	John C. Stedman

Statistics

1831	Richard Dobbs Spaight.....	Samuel F. Patterson.....	Rufus Haywood.....	Daniel Coleman.....	Dirk Lindeman.....	Charles D. Lehman.....
1832	Simmons Jones Baker.....	William Davidson.....	Gray Little.....	John G. Marshall.....	Dirk Lindeman.....	Thomas J. Lemay.....
1833	Samuel F. Patterson.....	David W. Stone.....	Daniel Coleman.....	Edmund B. Freeman.....	Dirk Lindeman.....	John J. Christophers.....
1834	Samuel F. Patterson.....	David W. Stone.....	Daniel Coleman.....	John G. Marshall.....	Green W. Ligon.....	John J. Christophers.....
1835	Lewis H. Marteller.....	David W. Stone.....	Henry Blount.....	James MacLin.....	Green W. Ligon.....	William T. Bain.....
1836	Lewis H. Marteller.....	David W. Stone.....	Henry Blount.....	William B. Dunn.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1837	David W. Stone.....	Thomas L. B. Gregory.....	William W. Cherry.....	Duncan G. McRae.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1838	David W. Stone.....	Kenneth Rayner.....	William W. Cherry.....	Daniel S. Crenshaw.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1839	David W. Stone.....	William B. Dunn.....	John G. Marshall.....	Kader Biggs.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William A. Harrison.....
1840	Simmons Jones Baker.....	William S. Baker.....	Daniel S. Crenshaw.....	Davis Young.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William A. Harrison.....
1841	Daniel S. Crenshaw.....	Thomas Loring.....	Thomas E. Pender.....	Davis Young.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William A. Harrison.....
1842	John Hill Wheeler.....	Jonathan H. Jacobs.....	Phineas W. Fanning.....	William P. Taylor.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William A. Harrison.....
1843	John Hill Wheeler.....	David Lowry Swain.....	Phineas W. Fanning.....	Arthur S. Moore.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1844	Phineas W. Fanning.....	David W. Stone.....	Thomas S. Clark.....	Talcott Burr.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1845	Phineas W. Fanning.....	Thomas Loring.....	Wiley W. Johnson.....	Peter Adams.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1846	Phineas W. Fanning.....	William Gott.....	John H. Drake.....	William H. Mead.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1847	William F. Collins.....	Clement H. Jordan.....	Talcott Burr.....	Job Hiatt.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1848	William F. Collins.....	Clement H. Jordan.....	John H. Drake.....	James E. Allen.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1849	William F. Collins.....	Clement H. Jordan.....	William G. Hill.....	James E. Allen.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1850	Alonzo T. Jenkins.....	Cyrus P. Mendenhall.....	Luke Blackmer.....	William P. Taylor.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1851	Alonzo T. Jenkins.....	Cyrus P. Mendenhall.....	Luke Blackmer.....	James H. Moore.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1852	Clement H. Jordan.....	William P. Taylor.....	Peter Adams.....	Joseph Green.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1853	Clement H. Jordan.....	William P. Taylor.....	William K. Blake.....	Joseph Green.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1854	Clement H. Holt.....	William P. Taylor.....	James T. Alexander.....	F. M. Cox.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1855	Pleasant A. Holt.....	Alfred Martin.....	Henry C. Lucas.....	F. M. Cox.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1856	Pleasant A. Holt.....	Lewis S. Williams.....	Henry C. Lucas.....	Daniel Coleman.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1857	Alfred Martin.....	Lewis S. Williams.....	Henry C. Lucas.....	Eli F. Watson.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1858	Alfred Martin.....	Lewis S. Williams.....	Henry C. Lucas.....	Charles C. Clark.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1859	Lewis S. Williams.....	Eli W. Ward.....	James E. Allen.....	Rufus K. Speed.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1860	Lewis S. Williams.....	Eli W. Ward.....	James E. Allen.....	Rufus K. Speed.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1861	William G. Hill.....	Eli Watson.....	Daniel Coleman.....	Robert W. Best.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1862	Eli F. Watson.....	Edwin Godwin Reade.....	John McCormick.....	David H. Stephenson.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1863	Eli F. Watson.....	Edwin Godwin Reade.....	John McCormick.....	John Nichols.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1864	John McCormick.....	Eugene Grissom.....	Robert W. Best.....	John Nichols.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	William T. Bain.....
1865	Edwin Godwin Reade.....	John M. Happold.....	Robert W. Best.....	Thomas M. Gardner.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1866	Edwin Godwin Reade.....	Robert W. Best.....	William Lander.....	Samuel H. Rountree.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1867	Robert W. Best.....	James G. Ramsey.....	Robert B. Vance.....	Samuel H. Rountree.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1868	Robert B. Vance.....	Ellis Malone.....	Joseph B. Batchelor.....	Samuel H. Rountree.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1869	Robert B. Vance.....	Ellis Malone.....	John Nichols.....	Clinton A. Cilley.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1870	Charles C. Clark.....	Joseph B. Batchelor.....	John Nichols.....	Robert W. Hardie.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1871	Charles C. Clark.....	Joseph B. Batchelor.....	John Nichols.....	Robert W. Hardie.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1872	John Nichols.....	Thomas M. Gardner.....	Clinton A. Cilley.....	Robert W. Hardie.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1873	John Nichols.....	Thomas M. Gardner.....	Clinton A. Cilley.....	Robert W. Hardie.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1874	George W. Blount.....	Thomas M. Gardner.....	Samuel C. Shelton.....	Robert V. Blackstock.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1875	George W. Blount.....	Eugene Grissom.....	Samuel C. Shelton.....	James C. L. Gudger.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1876	Horace H. Munson.....	Eugene Grissom.....	Robert W. Hardie.....	James C. L. Gudger.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1877	Horace H. Munson.....	Thomas S. Kenan.....	Robert W. Hardie.....	Henry F. Grainger.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1878	William R. Cox.....	James C. L. Gudger.....	Chas. W. Alexander.....	Charles H. Robinson.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1879	William R. Cox.....	James C. L. Gudger.....	Chas. W. Alexander.....	Charles H. Robinson.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....
1880	Henry F. Grainger.....	James W. Reid.....	Robert Bingham.....	Charles H. Robinson.....	Cel. W. D. Hutchings.....	Donald W. Bain.....

GRAND LODGES—MONTHS OF MEETINGS, ADDRESSES GRAND MASTERS AND GRAND SECRETARIES

GRAND LODGE	MONTH	GRAND MASTER and ADDRESS	GRAND SECRETARY and ADDRESS
Alabama.....	December.....	Coke S. Wright.....	Guy T. Smith.....
Arizona.....	March.....	James R. Malott.....	Harry A. Drachman.....
Arkansas.....	November.....	Conrad N. Glover.....	W. A. Thomas.....
California.....	October.....	Earl Warren.....	John Whicker.....
Colorado.....	September.....	K. O. Wood.....	Charles A. Patton.....
Connecticut.....	February.....	Rev. Arthur F. Lewis.....	Winthrop Buck.....
Delaware.....	October.....	Harris Samonisky.....	Jno. F. Robinson.....
Dist. of Columbia.....	December.....	Otto B. Roepeke.....	J. Claude Keiper.....
Florida.....	April.....	Harry G. Taylor.....	J. S. B. Moyer.....
Georgia.....	October.....	Abit Nix.....	Frank F. Baker.....
Idaho.....	September.....	Louis R. Scott.....	Curtis F. Pike.....
Illinois.....	October.....	Hal C. McLeod.....	R. C. Davenport.....
Indiana.....	May.....	Rudolph H. Hurst.....	Wm. H. Swintz.....
Iowa.....	June.....	James T. Ames.....	Chas. C. Hunt.....
Kansas.....	February.....	James H. Wendorff.....	Elmer F. Strain.....
Kentucky.....	October.....	Hugh Moore.....	Al. E. Orton.....
Louisiana.....	February.....	Robert F. Kennon.....	D. Peter Laguens, Jr.....
Maine.....	May.....	Henry R. Gillis.....	Converse E. Leach.....
Maryland.....	November.....	Harry B. Wright.....	Harry C. Mueller.....
Massachusetts.....	December.....	Claude L. Allen.....	Frederick W. Hamilton.....
Michigan.....	May.....	Harvey A. Sherman.....	Lou B. Winsor.....
Minnesota.....	January.....	William A. Elliot.....	John Fishel.....
Mississippi.....	February.....	G. W. Holloway.....	Edward L. Faucette.....
Missouri.....	September.....	James W. Skelly.....	Arthur Mather.....
Montana.....	August.....	John R. Lloyd.....	Luther T. Hauburg.....
Nebraska.....	June.....	William C. Ramsey.....	Lewis E. Smith.....
Nevada.....	June.....	A. F. Aymar.....	V. M. Henderson.....
New Hampshire.....	May.....	Halsey C. Edgerton.....	Harry M. Cheney.....
New Jersey.....	April.....	Chas. B. Foley.....	Isaac Cherry.....
New Mexico.....	March.....	Edward R. Paul.....	Alpheus A. Keen.....
New York.....	May.....	Jacob C. Klink.....	Chas. H. Johnson.....
North Carolina.....	April.....	J. Giles Hudson.....	J. H. Anderson.....
North Dakota.....	June.....	Lewis K. Thompson.....	Walter L. Stockwell.....
Ohio.....	October.....	Elmer R. Arn.....	Harry S. Johnson.....
Oklahoma.....	February.....	John L. Stuart.....	Claude A. Sturgeon.....
Oregon.....	June.....	H. Wayne Starnard.....	D. Rufus Cheney.....
Pennsylvania.....	June.....	Harold N. Rist.....	John A. Perry.....
Rhode Island.....	December.....	James A. Tillinchast.....	Harold L. McAulan.....
South Carolina.....	May.....	Joseph E. Hart.....	O. Frank Hart.....
South Dakota.....	March.....	Marion E. Crockett.....	Geo. A. Pettigrew.....
Tennessee.....	June.....	W. Roy Holland.....	Thos. Earl Doss.....
Texas.....	January.....	W. Marcus Weatherred.....	W. E. Pearson.....
Utah.....	January.....	C. H. Fisher.....	S. H. Goodwin.....
			Salt Lake City

1925	Leon Cash.....	John E. Cameron.....	J. H. Anderson.....	J. H. Anderson.....	R. C. Dunn.....	R. C. Dunn.....	Benjamin R. Lacy.....	William W. Willson.....
1926	John E. Cameron.....	J. H. Anderson.....	R. C. Dunn.....	R. C. Dunn.....	J. J. Phoenix.....	J. J. Phoenix.....	Benjamin R. Lacy.....	William W. Willson.....
1927	John H. Anderson.....	R. C. Dunn.....	J. J. Phoenix.....	J. J. Phoenix.....	A. J. Harris.....	A. J. Harris.....	Benjamin R. Lacy.....	William W. Willson.....
1928	R. C. Dunn.....	John J. Phoenix.....	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.....	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.....	B. S. Royster, Jr.....	B. S. Royster, Jr.....	Benjamin R. Lacy.....	William W. Willson.....
1929	John J. Phoenix.....	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.....	B. S. Royster, Jr.....	B. S. Royster, Jr.....	P. T. Wilson.....	P. T. Wilson.....	John J. Phoenix.....	John H. Anderson.....
1930	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.....	J. W. Winborne.....	H. C. Alexander.....	H. C. Alexander.....	P. T. Wilson.....	P. T. Wilson.....	John J. Phoenix.....	John H. Anderson.....
1931	J. W. Winborne.....	H. C. Alexander.....	P. T. Wilson.....	P. T. Wilson.....	Roy F. Ebbs.....	Roy F. Ebbs.....	John J. Phoenix.....	John H. Anderson.....
1932	H. C. Alexander.....	P. T. Wilson.....	Roy F. Ebbs.....	Roy F. Ebbs.....	C. B. Newcomb.....	C. B. Newcomb.....	John J. Phoenix.....	John H. Anderson.....
1933	P. T. Wilson.....	Roy F. Ebbs.....	J. G. Hudson.....	J. G. Hudson.....	Watson N. Sherrod.....	Watson N. Sherrod.....	H. C. Alexander.....	John H. Anderson.....
1934	Roy F. Ebbs.....	C. B. Newcomb.....	J. G. Hudson.....	J. G. Hudson.....	Harry T. Paterson.....	Harry T. Paterson.....	H. C. Alexander.....	John H. Anderson.....
1935	Chas. B. Newcomb.....	Watson N. Sherrod.....	Harry T. Paterson.....	Harry T. Paterson.....	J. Edward Allen.....	J. Edward Allen.....	H. C. Alexander.....	John H. Anderson.....
1936	J. G. Hudson.....							

GRAND SECRETARIES FOREIGN GRAND LODGES

Alberta	J. W. H. Kemmis	Calgary
Alpino, Switzerland	Arnold Wirth	Basle
British Columbia	Dr. W. A. DeWolf Smith	New Westminster
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17 American George (4)	Murfreesboro	E. N. Evans, Murfreesboro	R. L. Vinson, Murfreesboro
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31 Phalanx (27)	Charlotte	F. Wm. E. Cullingford, Charlotte 419 E. Trade St.	Z. V. Taylor, Charlotte
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59 Perseverance (3)	Plymouth	Frank C. Spruill, Plymouth	E. H. Liverman, Plymouth
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156	Rolesville (15)	Rolesville	H. E. Perry, Rt. 2, Wake Forest	R. S. Williams, Rt. 2, Wake Forest
158	Knap of Reeds (21)	Bahama	Purvis Tilley, Bahama	M. C. Dunn, Bahama
162	Yadkin (30)	Yadkinville	F. D. B. Harding, Yadkinville	C. N. Dobbins, Yadkinville
165	Archer (15)	Clayton, R. F. D.	B. W. Hinnant, Rt. 1, Wendell	W. S. Earp, Rt. 1, Selma
167	Winston (30)	Winston-Salem	R. P. Rawley, Winston Salem Box 1221	Watt Hutcherson, Winston-Salem
170	Blackmer (39)	Weaverville	R. E. Carmichael, Weaverville	Fritz B. Peeke, Weaverville
171	Coleraine (2)	Coleraine	W. E. White, Coleraine	G. W. Barker, Coleraine

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344 Numa F. Reid (23)	High Point	C. M. Gueth, High Point	E. B. Oldham, High Point
348 Stanley (25)	Albemarle	1105 Cycle St.	Geo. S. Moore, Albemarle
352 Durham (21)	Durham	R. W. Austin, Albemarle	J. Beverly Redford, Durham
		H. M. Brown, Box 1365, Durham	Box 325
353 Moravian (33)	Moravian Falls	B. C. Meadows, Pores Knob	W. A. Jennings, Pores Knob
356 Fallston (37)	Fallston	Earl H. Lutz, Fallston	M. L. Smith, Fallston
357 Bakersville (40)	Bakersville	Luey J. Gouge, Toecane	Dr. W. B. Masters, Bakersville
358 East LaPorte (42)	East LaPorte	E. P. Wike, East LaPorte	J. E. Brown, Tuckasegee
359 Mt. Vernon (7)	Oriental	J. L. Dixon, Oriental	A. H. Harris, Oriental
363 Snow (34)	Sugar Grove	Martin L. Herman, Valle Crucis	A. D. Wilson, Boone
366 Craighead (27)	Huntersville	T. H. Sims, Huntersville	Alfred E. Putnam, Huntersville
369 Gastonia (28)	Gastonia	Andrew S. Melvin, Gastonia	Chas. W. Gunter, Gastonia
373 Elk (34)	Todd	E. R. Mikeal, Todd	D. C. Howell, Todd
374 Campbell (29)	Troutman	G. M. Young, Troutman	J. F. Orren, Troutman
375 State Line (37)	Grover	B. F. Bird, Grover	A. C. Bungardner, Grover
377 Youngsville (19)	Youngsville	S. E. Winston, Youngsville	R. H. Holiday, Youngsville
378 Seaboard (4)	Seaboard	W. D. Barbee, Seaboard	L. A. Watts, Seaboard
379 Coharie (9)	Salem	H. L. Gale, Salem	C. E. Norton, Rt. 1, Salemburg
380 Granville (20)	Wake Forest, Rt. 3	S. M. Bailey, Rt. 3, Wake Forest	C. D. Davis, Raleigh
381 Forest City (44)	Forest City	J. E. Caldwell, Forest City	John T. Poole, Forest City
382 Shawnee (36)	Long Island	W. O. Rone, Rt. 2, Catawba	Sumpter Moss, Long Island
384 Reidsville (22)	Reidsville	D. R. Young, Reidsville	C. V. Barbee, Reidsville
385 Scottsville (34)	Furches	J. M. Tucker, Laurel Springs	John R. Pugh, Laurel Springs
386 Pigeon River (41)	Canton	P. B. York, Box 215, Canton	C. Guy Higgs, Canton
387 Kedron (39)	Hendersonville	L. R. Geiger, Hendersonville	S. E. Powers, Hendersonville
388 Mooresboro (37)	Mooresboro	D. C. Wright, Box 333, Mooresboro	R. G. Burrus, Mooresboro
390 Copeland (31)	Rockford	L. W. Cook, Rt. 2, Dobson	J. H. Collins, Rockford
391 Lebanon (14)	Hope Mills	A. A. Davis, Hope Mills	W. W. Bishop, Hope Mills
392 White Rock (39)	White Rock	L. G. Gunter, Rt. 3, Marshall	P. B. Ray, Rt. 3, Marshall
393 Tally Ho (20)	Stem	L. D. Franklin, Stem	O. G. Clayton, Stem
395 Orient (10)	Wilmington	Cleon G. Parker, Wilmington	Chas. W. Boyette, Wilmington
		Box 87	
397 Bald Creek (40)	Swiss	S. J. Angel, Swiss	L. C. Buckner, Buckner
399 Conoho (2)	Hamilton	John W. Hines, Oak City	Thos. Bogue Slade, Hamilton
401 Joppa (44)	Old Fort	S. F. Mauney, Old Fort	Grady T. Nichols, Old Fort
403 Siler City (13)	Siler City	Ben. L. Spence, Siler City	T. L. Smith, Siler City
404 Denton (23)	Denton	R. C. Powell, Denton	H. Val Badgett, Denton

259	Waynesville (41)	Waynesville	Claude B. Hosaflook, Waynesville.	Wm. L. Lampkin, Waynesville
261	Excelsior (27)	Charlotte	B. W. Barnett, Charlotte	S. H. Goldfein, Charlotte
262	Hibriten (36)	Lenoir	J. E. Shell, Lenoir	G. D. Greer, Lenoir
263	Gaston (28)	Dallas	J. P. Hoffman, Dallas	E. L. Houser, Dallas
265	Farmington (30)	Farmington	M. A. Hartman, Advance	S. Wade Furches, Mocksville
267	Dunn's Rock (41)	Brevard	Henry Henderson, Brevard	A. G. Kyle, Brevard
268	Unaka (42)	Sylva	J. H. Morris, Sylva	H. G. Bird, Sylva
271	Tobasco (23)	Gibsonville	C. C. Hammer, Gibsonville	C. L. Younger, Gibsonville
272	Bingham (21)	Mebane	C. H. Smith, Mebane	W. M. Baker, Mebane
276	Beaver Dam (26)	Marshville	Wm. B. Gore, Marshville	R. B. Stegall, Marshville
277	Green Level (15)	Apex, Rt. 1	G. M. Beavers, Rt. 3, Apex	T. C. Council, Rt. 3, Apex
279	Rehoboth (9)	Rose Hill	A. B. Wells, Rose Hill	M. L. Parrior, Rose Hill
282	Wake Forest (15)	Wake Forest	C. S. Barnes, Wake Forest	C. S. Black, Wake Forest
283	Eureka (25)	China Grove	J. E. Correll, China Grove	F. A. Sides, China Grove
284	Greenville (5)	Greenville	Arthur B. Corey, Greenville	T. F. Harrington, Greenville
289	Salem (30)	Winston-Salem	Chas. S. Kimel, Winston-Salem	Felix T. Adams, Winston-Salem
292	French Broad (39)	Marshall	City Hall	Wachovia Bank
293	Vance (39)	Stockville	Ralph Fisher, Marshall	J. M. Bailey, Marshall
294	Atlantic (3)	Swan Quarter	H. C. Dillingham, Weaverville	C. B. McElroy, Stockville
296	Stonewall (2)	Robersonville	S. R. Williams, Swan Quarter	H. C. Boomer, Swan Quarter
299	Hunting Creek (29)	Jennings	A. L. Woolard, Stokes	J. A. Coffield, Robersonville
300	Aurora (3)	Aurora	W. B. Tutterow, Union Grove	W. N. Ireland, Hamptonville
301	Clay (43)	Haysville	D. E. Lewis, Aurora	J. R. Butts, Aurora
302	Lillington (14)	Lillington	Wm. T. Bumgarner, Haysville	J. Walter Moore, Haysville
304	Pleasant Hill (6)	Pink Hill	E. B. Cameron, Kipling	S. G. Howell, Lillington
305	Laurinburg (12)	Laurinburg	Paul Outlaw, Seven Springs	S. D. Turner, Pink Hill
306	Raeford (12)	Raeford	C. E. Muse, Laurinburg	A. P. Gibson, Laurinburg
310	Hatcher (17)	Sims, Rt. 1	Edgar Hall, Raeford	T. B. Lester, Raeford
313	King Solomon (11)	Lumber Bridge	W. L. Williamson, Rt. 3, Bailey	G. C. Stott, Rt. 1, Bailey
314	New Lebanon (1)	South Mills	L. L. Shaw, Lumber Bridge	W. E. Graham, Lumber Bridge
317	Eureka (1)	Elizabeth City	W. I. Halstead, South Mills	J. J. Brothers, Jr., Gatesville
319	Wilmington (10)	Wilmington	J. C. Munden, Elizabeth City	H. Grady Williams, Elizabeth City
320	Selma (17)	Selma	David J. Padrick, Wilmington	R. J. Holliday, Wilmington
322	Granite (31)	Mt. Airy	1709 Ann St.	J. O. Creech, Selma
327	Winton (2)	Winton	W. T. Woodard, Selma	W. M. Johnson, Mt. Airy
328	Mattamuskeet (3)	Engelhard	J. C. Hill, Mt. Airy	T. M. Condon, Winton
331	Bayboro (7)	Bayboro	D. L. Parker, Winton	J. M. Long, Engelhard
335	Rowland (11)	Rowland	R. S. Cox, Engelhard	Lawrence Harris, Bayboro
339	Fair View (37)	Kings Mountain	F. L. Adams, Rowland	David Townsend, Rowland
340	Harmony (6)	Pikeville	P. F. Dilling, Kings Mountain	J. H. Floyd, King's Mountain
341	Rock Spring (28)	Denver	P. B. Scott, Pikeville	T. B. Sasser, Rt. 2, Goldsboro
343	Hickory (36)	Hickory	W. E. King, Denver	C. B. Armstrong, Denver
			W. L. Boatright, Hickory	W. O. Corey, Hickory

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474 St. Pauls (11)-----	St. Pauls-----	J. C. Lindsay, St. Pauls-----	J. F. Nash, St. Pauls-----
475 Grimesland (5)-----	Grimesland-----	G. S. Porter, Chicod-----	J. J. Elks, Grimesland-----
479 Rainbow (7)-----	Arapahoe-----	A. L. Reel, Arapahoe-----	M. E. Broughton, Janelro-----
480 Mill Creek (14)-----	Mill Creek-----	D. G. Westbrook, Four Oaks-----	S. Westbrook, Four Oaks-----
481 Spring Hope (18)-----	Spring Hope-----	J. J. Proctor, Spring Hope-----	O. B. Moss, Spring Hope-----
482 Saluda (39)-----	Saluda-----	John T. Coates, Jr., Saluda-----	D. W. Pace, Saluda-----
483 Traphill (33)-----	Traphill-----	D. B. Swaringen, Trap Hill-----	T. S. Bryan, Trap Hill-----
484 Southern Pines (12)-----	Southern Pines-----	Lloyd L. Wooley, Southern Pines-----	P. T. Allen, Southern Pines-----
486 Lawndale (37)-----	Lawndale-----	J. W. Lee, Lawndale-----	J. R. Jones, Lawndale-----
487 Statesville (29)-----	Statesville-----	S. Wallace Hoffman, Statesville-----	John M. Carson, Statesville-----
488 Rich Square (4)-----	Rich Square-----	C. A. Elliott, Rich Square-----	N. L. Turner, Rich Square-----
489 Linville (40)-----	Linville-----	Byron E. Williams, Newland-----	W. W. Braswell, Montezuma-----
491 Hominy (39)-----	Candler-----	Rupert J. Crowell, Rt. 3, Asheville-----	Zeb F. Davis, Rt. 1, Candler-----
492 Thos. M. Holt (21)-----	Graham-----	J. S. Cook, Graham-----	W. Ernest Thompson, Graham-----
493 Pilot (31)-----	Pilot Mt.-----	R. C. Boaz, Pilot Mountain-----	D. R. Fulk, Pilot Mountain-----
495 Rockingham (12)-----	Rockingham-----	John M. McNair, Rockingham-----	S. B. Cole, Rockingham-----
496 Mooresville (29)-----	Mooresville-----	Roy K. McNeely, Mooresville-----	F. J. Jones, Mooresville-----
497 Royal Hart (19)-----	Littleton-----	B. C. Nicholson, Littleton-----	E. L. Riggan, Littleton-----
498 Ayden (5)-----	Ayden-----	R. C. Smith, Ayden-----	H. G. Mumford, Ayden-----
499 Creedmoor (20)-----	Creedmoor-----	T. W. Allen, Creedmoor-----	W. J. Holmes, Creedmoor-----
500 Raleigh (15)-----	Raleigh-----	J. W. Kellogg, Box 464, Raleigh-----	John C. Brantley, Jr., Raleigh-----
501 Red Springs (11)-----	Red Springs-----	G. C. Lang, Red Springs-----	R. W. Owens, Red Springs-----
502 Cookeville (36)-----	near Henry-----	Jas. E. Sain, Connelly Springs-----	O. O. Rhoney, Vale-----
504 Luke McGaughan (2)-----	Ahoskie-----	A. L. Copeland, Ahoskie-----	J. H. Copeland, Ahoskie-----
505 Cherryville (28)-----	Cherryville-----	W. J. T. Styers, Cherryville-----	D. P. Dellinger, Cherryville-----
506 Unaka (43)-----	Unaka-----	U. S. G. Phillips, Unaka-----	G. W. Barnes, Unaka-----
508 Lattimore (37)-----	Lattimore-----	A. L. Calton, Lattimore-----	R. L. Hunt, Lattimore-----
509 Belhaven (3)-----	Belhaven-----	L. G. Smith, Belhaven-----	B. F. Anthony, Belhaven-----
515 Whetstone (28)-----	Bessemer City-----	L. C. Rhyne, Bessemer City-----	A. W. Kincaid, Bessemer City-----
516 Aulander (2)-----	Aulander-----	J. O. Jenkins, Aulander-----	H. M. Burden, Aulander-----
517 Farmville (5)-----	Farmville-----	J. T. Bundy, Farmville-----	R. A. Joyner, Farmville-----
519 Widows Son-----	Roanoke Rapids-----	E. M. Daughtry, Roanoke Rapids-----	D. F. Wike, Roanoke Rapids-----
520 Fairfield (5)-----	Fairfield-----	P. C. E. Swindel, Fairfield-----	H. C. Jones, Fairfield-----
521 Wanchese (1)-----	Wanchese-----	F. W. Pugh, Wanchese-----	Leo Midgett, Manteo-----
524 Pendleton (4)-----	Pendleton-----	W. H. Stephenson, Pendleton-----	H. W. Maddrey, Pendleton-----
525 Rodgers (17)-----	Middlesex-----	J. J. Kemp, Rt. 1, Middlesex-----	N. E. Strickland, Rt. 2, Middlesex-----
527 Lucama (17)-----	Lucama-----	Wiley Lamm, Lucama-----	J. K. Blake, Lucama-----

405	Ocean (7)	Morehead City	H. L. Joslyn, Morehead City	H. O. Phillips, Morehead City
406	Ivy (39)	Paint Fork	J. C. Wallace, North Wilkesboro	G. G. Foster, North Wilkesboro
407	North Wilkesboro (33)	North Wilkesboro	Dr. J. Burton Linker, Chapel Hill	Dr. S. A. Nathan, Chapel Hill
408	University (21)	Chapel Hill	J. V. Simpson, Burlington	E. N. Pearce, Burlington
409	Bula (21)	Burlington	A. P. Finch, Bailey	Alex. T. Winstead, Bailey
411	Bailey (17)	Dabney	O. H. Parham, Rt. 4, Henderson	E. C. Parrott, Rt. 5, Oxford
412	Henry F. Grainger (20)	Louisburg	J. A. Wheeler, Louisville	J. L. Foster, Louisville
413	Louisburg (19)	Maxton	C. H. Whitlock, Maxton	Robt. B. Bullard, Maxton
417	Maxton (11)	Potocasi	C. W. Blow, Potocasi	W. H. S. Burgwyn, Woodland
418	Potocasi (4)	Yadkinville, Rt. 1	L. F. Craver, Yadkinville	Ray T. Moore, Yadkinville
420	Harmon (30)	Sparta	F. H. Jackson, Sparta	R. F. Crouse, Sparta
423	Sparta (34)	East Bend	A. W. Shore, Rt. 3, East Bend	W. C. Jennings, Rt. 3, East Bend
424	Baltimore (30)	Ranger	R. L. Keenum, Suit	B. L. Fox, Murphy
426	Montgomery (43)	Bryson City	T. L. Stallings, Bryson City	E. C. Gibson, Bryson City
427	Oconee (42)	Stokesdale	S. E. Adcock, Stokesdale	L. P. Rippy, R. F. D., Reidsville
428	Stokesdale (23)	Swansboro	J. F. Kellum, Swansboro	T. H. Pritchard, Swansboro
429	Sea Side (8)	Knapps Mill	M. A. Peacock, Benson	Robie D. Porter, Benson
430	Rockyford (31)	Benson	W. R. Pugh, Piney Creek	T. C. Black, Piney Creek
431	Relief (14)	Piney Creek	F. Powell, Vanceboro	T. S. Jackson, Vanceboro
432	Piney Creek (34)	Vanceboro	C. M. Lasley, Rt. 1, Clemmons	C. O. Sprinkle, Lewisville
433	Vanceboro (7)	West Bend	S. E. Potts, Highlands	C. C. Potts, Highlands
434	West Bend (30)	Highlands	E. A. Morgan, Star	D. A. Munn, Biscoe
435	Blue Ridge (42)	Biscoe	Victor Raxter, Marble	John Orr, Robbinsville
437	Biscoe (24)	Marble	J. G. Adams, Ronda	D. E. Whitehead, Ramseur
439	Marble Springs (43)	Ronda, Rt. 2	J. R. Wilson, Ramseur	Coy J. Huff, Biltmore
440	Clingman (33)	Ramseur	W. B. Pressley, Biltmore	C. D. Graham, Enfield
444	Marietta (24)	Biltmore	C. M. Hodgkin, Enfield	H. E. Green, Deep Gap
446	Biltmore (39)	Enfield	Z. V. Green, Stony Fork	G. R. Fish, Clyde
447	Enfield (4)	Stony Fork	Edwin Fincher, Clyde	M. C. Whitener, Etkin
451	Ashler (33)	Clyde	A. O. Bryan, Etkin	A. F. Mounce, Rt. 1, Elkin
453	Clyde (41)	Rusk	M. L. Bray, Rt. 2, Dobson	W. B. Hartley, Blowing Rock
454	Elkin (31)	Blowing Rock	R. F. Barrett, Dillsboro	J. E. Barrett, Dillsboro
456	Rusk (31)	Dillsboro	F. C. Hames, Clifside	H. E. Beatty, Clifside
458	Blowing Rock (36)	Clifside	J. W. Rowell, Matthews	E. E. Austin, Rt. 3, Matthews
459	Dillsboro (42)	Matthews	G. H. Gavin, McAdensville	F. J. Scroggins, Crumpton
460	Clifside (44)	McAdensville	D. S. Wright, Jarvisburg	H. H. Hampton, Water Lily
461	Matthews (27)	Coinjock	I. R. Moore, Gulf	J. F. Adcock, Gummock
462	South Fork (28)	Gulf	A. J. Blevins, Crumpler	B. H. Shepherd, Crumpler
463	Currituck (1)	Crumpler	W. E. McCarter, Union Grove	N. M. Felts, Union Grove
465	Gulf (13)	Jennings	C. C. Hansen, Rt. 1, Waynesville	T. R. Moore, Rt. 1, Waynesville
467	Crumpler (34)	Canton, Rt. 2	W. F. Sparger, Lexington	A. E. Brannock, Lexington
471	Grassy Knob (29)	Lexington		
472	Sonoma (41)			
473	Lexington (23)			

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595 Wallace (9)-----	Wallace-----	A. J. Cavenaugh, Wallace-----	J. S. Blair, Wallace
596 Waccamaw (10)-----	Bolton-----	Z. V. Jones, Bolton-----	G. F. Ellis, Bolton
598 Cranberry (40)-----	Elk Park-----	J. H. Perkins, Elk Park-----	Leon R. Polechio, Spear
599 Roaring Gap (33)-----	Thurmond-----	W. W. Calloway, Thurmond-----	W. H. Norman, Thurmond
602 Queen City (18)-----	Rocky Mount-----	Edwin C. Smith, Rocky Mount Box 595-----	A. R. Dickson, Rocky Mount
605 Skyka (39)-----	Tryon-----	G. L. Pace, Tryon-----	G. E. Bell, Tryon
606 River Side (36)-----	Catawba-----	T. E. Harwell, Catawba-----	Chas. B. Gilbert, Catawba
607 Chadbourn (10)-----	Chadbourn-----	F. T. Wootten, Chadbourn-----	J. H. Land, Chadbourn
609 Zebulon (15)-----	Zebulon-----	M. J. Sexton, Zebulon-----	W. B. Bunn, Zebulon
612 Atkinson (10)-----	Atkinson-----	R. L. Croon, Atkinson-----	J. S. Pope, Atkinson
613 Home (6)-----	Fremont-----	F. M. Watson, Fremont-----	O. M. Davis, Fremont
616 Round Peak (31)-----	Round Peak-----	T. D. Golding, Rt. 6, Mt. Airy-----	Claude Golding, Low Gap
617 St. Patricks (6)-----	Princeton-----	M. P. Young, Princeton-----	B. L. Aycock, Princeton
618 Union (25)-----	Midland-----	A. P. Widenhouse, Midland-----	Chas. Long, Indian Trail
624 John H. Mills (19)-----	Kannapolis-----	W. P. Winn, Rt. 1, Henderson-----	R. C. Ausborn, Rt. 1, Henderson
626 Cannon Mem. (25)-----	Kannapolis-----	L. J. Bounds, Box 393, Kannapolis-----	W. J. Bullock, Kannapolis
627 Belmont (28)-----	Belmont-----	H. C. Setzer, Belmont-----	W. H. Breeland, Belmont
629 Walnut Cove (30)-----	Walnut Cove-----	M. O. Jones, Walnut Cove-----	M. N. Wheeler, Walnut Cove
630 Francis S. Packard (19)-----	Norlina-----	H. W. Walker, Norlina-----	J. L. Overby, Norlina
634 Goldsboro (6)-----	Goldsboro-----	J. C. Pate, Goldsboro-----	Jacob P. Shrago, Goldsboro
636 Mill Spring (39)-----	Mill Spring-----	N. G. Walker, Mill Spring-----	J. H. Gibbs, Mill Spring
637 Yadkin Falls (25)-----	Badin-----	W. H. Davis, Badin-----	D. S. Littleton, Badin
638 Richlands (3)-----	near Aurora-----	L. P. Jordan, Aurora-----	C. W. Holliday, Aurora
643 Proctorville (11)-----	Proctorville-----	J. A. Nye, Proctorville-----	C. C. Fennell, Proctorville
646 Bladen (11)-----	Elizabethtown-----	W. W. Woodhouse, Elizabethtown-----	R. S. White, Elizabethtown
650 John A. Nichols (39)-----	Asheville-----	Jas. L. Brown, Asheville----- Masonic Temple-----	Walter L. Pfaff, West Asheville 70-5th Avenue
651 Harmony (29)-----	Harmony-----	J. H. Mullis, Harmony-----	W. L. McSwain, Harmony
652 Black River (14)-----	Angler-----	W. M. Morgan, Angler-----	A. D. Wilson, Angler
654 Elberta (12)-----	West End-----	W. E. Graham, Jackson Springs-----	H. C. Carter, Jackson Springs
656 Guilford (23)-----	Greensboro-----	R. N. Musgrave, Greensboro Box 1567-----	Chas. T. Boyd, Greensboro Jefferson Building
657 Keller Mem. (25)-----	Rockwell-----	J. E. Fisher, Granite Quarry-----	P. J. Lyerly, Granite Quarry
658 Beulaville (9)-----	Beulaville-----	A. W. Gresham, Beulaville-----	John G. Kennedy, Beulaville
663 Black Mountain (39)-----	Black Mountain-----	W. H. Fowles, Black Mountain-----	G. L. Kirkpatrick, Black Mountain
664 Garland (9)-----	Garland-----	S. L. Smith, Garland-----	L. A. Warren, Garland

528	Fairmont (11)	Paul H. Thompson, Fairmont	P. P. Smith, Fairmont
529	Andrews (43)	Clyde H. Jarrett, Andrews	H. L. Mulkey, Andrews
530	Joppa (27)	L. E. Wightman, Charlotte	G. P. Kerr, Charlotte
		Box 534	2125 Moore Avenue
532	Hamlet (12)	A. A. Williams, Hamlet	B. E. Shealy, Hamlet
534	Camp Call (37)	G. A. Green, Rt. 5, Shelby	E. L. Weathers, Rt. 5, Shelby
535	Hollis (44)	B. Blanton, Ellenboro	Clay Blanton, Ellenboro
538	Williams (27)	A. D. Cashion, Cornelius	J. E. Washam, Cornelius
541	Parkton (11)	D. A. Sikes, Parkton	D. S. Currie, Parkton
542	Corinthian (23)	Emory C. Fox, Greensboro	T. Settle Graham, Jr., Greensboro
543	Spencer (25)	J. E. Connell, Spencer	A. G. Smith, Spencer
544	Mt. Holly (28)	L. Calvert, Mt. Holly	J. E. Bailes, Mt. Holly
549	Elon (21)	J. W. Barney, Elon College	J. K. Patton, Elon College
550	Roman Eagle (12)	John G. Sloan, Aberdeen	A. K. Pennington, Aberdeen
551	Glenville (42)	Lewis R. Norton, Norton	H. R. Queen, Sylva
552	Revolution (23)	J. T. Carruthers, Sr., Greensboro	Joe T. Carruthers, Jr., Greensboro
		D-Fairview Road	D-Fairview Road
554	Vesper (40)	W. L. McNell, Spruce Pine	Ed Boone, Spruce Pine
555	Elise (12)	James A. Culbertson, Hemp	J. L. Benson, Hemp
556	Neil S. Stewart (14)	E. G. Purcell, Erwin	W. H. Miley, Jr., Erwin
557	Oak Grove (30)		
558	Ararat (31)	T. W. Bryant, Ararat	Jesse W. Stewart, Ararat
560	Sulphur Springs (33)	H. H. Jennings, No. Wilkesboro	W. E. Brewer, Hays
		Rt. 1	
561	Swannanoa (39)	L. E. Reighard, Swannanoa	W. J. Freeman, Swannanoa
562	Waxhaw (26)	J. T. Steele, Waxhaw	Luther B. Baker, Waxhaw
563	Tabor (10)	R. T. Bruton, Tabor City	Hartford Fowler, Tabor City
564	Richlands (8)	A. F. Barbee, Richlands	C. C. Hill, Richlands
565	Wendell (15)	J. T. Allen, Wendell	M. C. Todd, Wendell
566	Ronda (33)	E. D. Byrd, Ronda	R. L. Hickerson, Ronda
568	Doric (7)	Albert D. Brooks, New Bern	F. H. Foster, New Bern
569	Mt. Pleasant (17)	L. F. Warren, Bailey	T. A. Griffin, Bailey
571	Snow Creek (29)	G. T. McLelland, Rt. 2, Statesville	J. S. Dobson, Rt. 2, Statesville
573	Mt. Pleasant (33)	W. C. Triplett, Purlett	Sam Triplett, Maple Springs
576	Andrew Jackson (25)	J. E. Haynes, Salisbury	S. P. Purvis, Salisbury
578	Meadow Branch (26)		
579	Cesar (37)	Miller Newton, Cesar	L. W. Cain, Cesar
583	Ionic (7)	W. C. Sutton, Cove City	C. H. Riggs, Cove City
584	Apex (15)	Geo. T. Rogers, Apex	O. S. Allen, Apex
585	Roseboro (9)	Bias C. Butler, Roseboro	James M. Hall, Roseboro
589	Bethel (5)	J. W. Rook, Bethel	J. B. Bunting, Bethel
590	Lcwell (28)	S. H. Helton, Lowell	W. J. Roach, Lowell
592	Malden (36)	John F. Carpenter, Malden	H. T. Campbell, Malden
593	Stony Point (29)	P. F. Young, Stony Point	R. A. Murdock, Stony Point

ABSTRACT OF RETURNS FROM SUBORDINATE LODGES For Year Ending December 31st, 1935

1—ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—Camden, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Pasquotank and Perquimans Counties

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Hall, Currituck	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	1	67	54	13	...
Widow's Son, Camden	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	39	36	3	...
Perquimans, Perquimans	106	...	...	...	2	...	...	12	...	2	...	70	58	12	...
Gatesville, Gates	126	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	42	39	3	...
Atlantic, Currituck	238	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	25	21	4	...
New Lebanon, Camden	314	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	44	43	1	...
Eureka, Pasquotank	317	8	8	8	8	...	...	...	3	5	3	145	153	...	8
Currituck, Currituck	463	2	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	77	...	4
Wanchese, Dare	521	3	1	1	...	...	...	17	...	...	1	174	158	16	...
		15	16	16	10	...	...	48	5	13	5	679	639	40	...

2—WINDSOR DISTRICT—Bertie, Chowan, Hertford and Martin Counties

Charity, Bertie	5	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	91	94	...	3
Unanimity, Chowan	7	3	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	79	76	3	...
Davie, Bertie	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	62	53	9	...
Skewarkee, Martin	90	4	4	3	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	92	90	2	...
Coleraine, Bertie	171	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	28	...	...
Wiccacon, Hertford	240	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	35	32	3	...
Stonewall, Martin	296	1	2	2	...	4	...	...	5	1	...	67	67	...	...
Winton, Hertford	327	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	25	22	3	...
Conoho, Martin	399	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	...	...
Luke McGlaughan, Hertford*	504	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	44	...	...
Aulander, Bertie	516	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	31	28	3	...
		8	8	8	2	4	...	15	7	12	...	584	564	20	...

*No report—last year's figures used.

3—PLYMOUTH DISTRICT—Beaufort, Hyde, and Washington Counties

Perseverance, Washington	59	3	2	5	6	1	...	7	...	...	1	79	84	...	5
Orr, Beaufort	104	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	181	179	2	...
Atlantic, Hyde	294	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	36	...	...
Aurora, Beaufort	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	38	37	1	...
Mattamuskeet, Hyde	328	4	5	6	2	...	...	2	...	1	...	42	47	...	5
Belhaven, Beaufort	509	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	78	78	...	...
Fairfield, Hyde	520	2	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	23	25	...	2
Richland, Beaufort	638	2	2	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	21	28	...	7
		12	14	18	9	6	...	9	...	8	2	498	514	...	16

4—HALIFAX DISTRICT—Halifax and Northampton Counties and part of Hertford County

Royal White Hart, Halifax	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	32	30	2	...
American George, Hertford	17	1	1	1	4	...	...	...	1	2	...	31	33	...	2
King Solomon, Northampton	56	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	1	...	61	58	3	...
Roanoke, Halifax	203	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	1	...	67	59	8	...
Seaboard, Northampton	378	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	56	52	4	...
Potecasi, Northampton	418	2	2	1	...	1	1	...	3	1	...	75	72	3	...
Enfield, Halifax	447	6	11	12	4	1	...	9	5	1	...	122	124	...	2
Rich Square, Northampton	488	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	57	54	3	...
Widow's Son, Halifax	519	1	1	1	...	1	4	...	2	3	...	92	85	7	...
Pendleton, Northampton	524	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	1	49	49	...	...
		12	16	17	10	4	1	25	18	13	1	642	616	26	...

665	West Asheville (39)	Asheville	J. M. Barber, Box 308, Asheville	Arthur E. Dunn, West Asheville 756 Haywood Road
666	N. C. Lo. of Res. (26)	Monroe	J. Ray Shute, Jr., Monroe	J. Edward Allen, Warrenton
667	Fort Bragg (14)	Fort Bragg	Selin A. Mattson, Fort Bragg Box 766	Jno. F. Scarboro, Fort Bragg Battery C. 36 F. A.
668	Holland Mem. (28)	Gastonia	Frank C. Abernethy, Gastonia Box 175	Charles K. Foy, Gastonia
669	Kernersville (30)	Kernersville	Sam T. Vance, Jr., Kernersville	Dr. O. L. Joyner, Kernersville
670	Lovelady (36)	Valdese	Wm. K. Sawyer, Valdese	Horace C. Goode, Connolly Springs
671	Ashe (34)	West Jefferson		

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

10—WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Brunswick, Columbus, New Hanover and Pender Counties

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
St. John's, New Hanover.....	1	4	4	4	3	3	...	9	...	1	1	437	437	...	...
King Solomon, Pender.....	138	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	75	76	...	1
Fair Bluff, Columbus.....	190	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	1	...	54	51	3	...
Lebanon, Columbus.....	207	3	3	3	2	1	...	2	3	1	1	71	71	...	...
Pythagoras, Brunswick.....	249	5	3	2	1	3	...	16	1	5	...	117	101	16	...
Wilmington, New Hanover.....	319	...	...	...	3	...	...	11	...	1	...	173	164	9	...
Orient, New Hanover.....	395	2	2	2	...	2	...	10	...	2	1	161	153	8	...
Tabor, Columbus.....	563	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	57	55	2	...
Waccamaw, Columbus.....	596	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	41	40	1	...
Chadbourn, Columbus.....	607	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	49	...	2
Atkinson, Pender.....	612	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	29	30	...	1
		18	13	13	11	12	...	50	7	14	3	1262	1227	35	...

11—LUMBERTON DISTRICT—Bladen and Robeson Counties

St. Alban's, Robeson.....	114	...	1	2	1	3	...	17	2	2	1	189	174	15	...
King Solomon, Robeson.....	313	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	24	...	1
Rowland, Robeson.....	335	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	25	...	2
Maxton, Robeson.....	417	...	...	...	1	...	...	5	...	4	...	64	56	8	...
St. Paul's, Robeson.....	474	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	41	...	...
Red Springs, Robeson.....	501	...	...	...	2	1	...	6	...	...	...	56	53	3	...
Fairmont, Robeson.....	528	4	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	2	...	33	35	...	2
Parkton, Robeson.....	541	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	28	...	...
Proctorville, Robeson.....	643	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	27	27	...	...
Bladen, Bladen.....	646	1	...	...	1	...	...	7	...	...	...	40	34	6	...
		5	2	3	7	9	...	35	3	8	1	524	497	27	...

12—ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Hoke, Richmond and Scotland Counties and part of Moore County

Laurinburg, Scotland.....	305	3	5	3	6	2	...	...	2	3	1	100	106	...	6
Hoke, Hoke.....	306	...	...	...	...	5	...	16	2	1	...	73	59	14	...
Southern Pines, Moore.....	484	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	1	...	92	86	6	...
Rockingham, Richmond.....	495	1	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	4	...	78	77	1	...
Hamlet, Richmond.....	532	4	3	3	1	4	...	...	1	1	...	153	159	...	6
Roman Eagle, Moore.....	550	3	3	2	1	...	...	19	1	1	...	66	48	18	...
Elberta, Moore.....	654	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	41	...	1
		11	12	8	12	11	...	40	6	11	1	602	576	26	...

13—SANFORD DISTRICT—Chatham and Lee Counties and part of Moore County

Columbus, Chatham.....	102	1	1	1	1	...	...	2	...	2	...	54	52	2	...
Mount Vernon, Chatham.....	143	2	1	...	2	1	...	4	2	1	...	65	61	4	...
Sanford, Lee.....	151	1	2	1	13	4	...	...	4	3	...	169	180	...	11
Buffalo, Lee.....	172	1	2	2	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	80	80	...	...
George Washington, Chatham..	174	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	52	...	...
Carthage, Moore.....	181	...	...	1	1	...	...	9	2	1	...	56	46	10	...
Siler City, Chatham.....	403	1	2	3	2	1	...	...	1	...	1	87	92	...	5
Gulf, Chatham.....	465	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	30	28	2	...
Elise, Moore.....	555	2	3	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	40	42	...	2
		8	11	10	21	6	...	18	12	7	1	633	633	...	...

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

5—GREENVILLE DISTRICT—Pitt County

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Grifton, Pitt	243	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	...	73	72	1	...
Greenville, Pitt	284	7	4	4	14	3	...	3	1	2	4	154	169	...	15
Grimesland, Pitt	475	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	1	...	57	53	4	...
Ayden, Pitt	498	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	38	37	1	...
Farmville, Pitt	517	2	2	2	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	84	86	...	2
Bethel, Pitt	589	4	3	3	3	1	...	5	...	1	...	61	62	...	1
	14	10	10	10	19	8	...	10	6	9	4	467	479	...	12

6—KINSTON DISTRICT—Greene, Lenoir and Wayne Counties and part of Johnston County

St. John's, Lenoir	4	7	5	5	6	...	...	11	...	2	...	101	99	2	...
Jerusalem, Greene	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	24	21	3	...
Wayne, Wayne	112	8	6	4	1	3	...	14	2	2	...	155	145	10	...
Radiance, Greene	132	3	3	3	...	...	...	5	1	1	...	47	43	4	...
Mount Olive, Wayne	208	3	3	2	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	57	56	1	...
Lenoir, Lenoir	233	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	32	33	...	1
Pleasant Hill, Lenoir	304	1	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	32	30	2	...
Harmony, Wayne	340	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	36	35	1	...
Home, Wayne	613	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	29	27	2	...
St. Patrick's, Johnston	617	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	1	...	18	14	4	...
Goldsboro, Wayne	634	9	9	5	1	2	...	1	3	2	...	129	131	...	2
	33	28	19	10	7	...	...	40	9	13	...	660	634	26	...

7—NEW BERN DISTRICT—Carteret, Craven and Pamlico Counties

St. John's, Craven	3	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	92	93	...	1
Franklin, Carteret	109	4	2	...	...	1	...	10	1	4	...	102	88	14	...
Bayboro, Pamlico	331	1	1	1	...	...	...	11	2	...	...	86	74	12	...
Mount Vernon, Pamlico	359	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	40	36	4	...
Ocean, Carteret	405	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	93	91	2	...
Vanceboro, Craven	433	3	3	3	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	51	49	2	...
Rainbow, Pamlico	479	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	16	...	1
Doric, Craven	568	6	7	8	1	4	...	...	...	3	2	244	254	...	10
Ionic, Craven	583	4	3	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	32	33	...	1
	23	19	18	2	6	...	...	29	5	13	4	755	734	21	...

8—JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT—Jones and Onslow Counties

Zion, Jones	81	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	48	47	1	...
LaFayette, Onslow	83	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	56	53	3	...
Pollockville, Jones	175	3	1	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	22	17	5	...
Sea Side, Onslow	429	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	48	47	1	...
Richlands, Onslow	564	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	27	25	2	...
	6	1	1	1	...	...	...	7	4	3	...	201	189	12	...

9—CLINTON DISTRICT—Duplin and Sampson Counties

Hiram, Sampson	98	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	3	2	130	127	3	...
Warren, Duplin	101	4	2	2	14	...	...	1	...	1	1	82	96	...	14
Mill Creek, Sampson	125	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	30	33	...	3
Mingo, Sampson	206	1	1	1	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	29	30	...	1
Rehoboth, Duplin	279	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	1	...	...	49	46	3	...
Coharie, Sampson*	379	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	34	...	...
Roseboro, Sampson	585	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	49	47	2	...
Wallace, Duplin	595	1	2	2	8	...	...	3	...	...	...	75	80	...	5
Beaulaville, Duplin	658	5	6	8	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	29	37	...	8
Garland, Sampson	664	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	26	27	...	1
	14	14	14	26	6	...	...	10	3	9	4	533	557	...	24

*No report—last year's figures used.

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

18—ROCKY MOUNT DISTRICT—Edgecombe County and part of Nash County

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Concord, Edgecombe	58	3	3	3	1	...	...	16	4	4	1	103	83	20	...
Morning Star, Nash	85	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	74	73	1	...
Central Cross, Nash	187	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	43	...	...
Corinthian, Nash	230	2	4	4	...	1	...	...	1	5	5	171	170	1	...
Spring Hope, Nash	481	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	49	...	4
Queen City, Nash	602	2	1	1	1	1	...	2	5	4	...	162	154	8	...
		8	9	9	6	3	...	18	11	15	6	598	572	26	...

19—HENDERSON DISTRICT—Franklin and Warren Counties and part of Vance County

Johnston-Caswell, Warren	10	1	1	1	1	...	...	2	2	2	...	66	62	4	...
Franklinton, Franklin	123	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	66	...	3
Henderson, Vance	229	3	3	3	3	...	...	6	2	1	...	128	125	3	...
Youngsville, Franklin	377	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	35	33	2	...
Louisburg, Franklin,	413	4	3	3	10	2	...	3	2	...	2	52	62	...	10
Royal Hart, Warren	497	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	49	48	1	...
J. H. Mills, Vance	624	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	39	39	...	...
Francis S. Packard, Warren	630	1	1	2	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	50	48	2	...
		10	9	10	19	3	...	14	9	8	2	482	483	...	1

20—OXFORD DISTRICT—Granville and Person Counties and Part of Vance

Person, Person	113	2	2	2	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	103	103	...	...
Oxford, Granville	122	2	5	5	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	152	151	1	...
Adoniram, Granville	149	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	40	39	1	...
Granville, Granville	380	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	30	29	1	...
Tally Ho, Granville	393	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	28	...	...
Henry F. Grainger, Vance	412	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	26	25	1	...
Creedmoor, Granville	499	4	4	4	...	1	...	...	3	1	...	34	36	...	2
		8	11	11	1	1	...	4	2	9	1	413	411	2	...

21—DURHAM DISTRICT—Alamance, Durham and Orange Counties

Eagle, Orange	19	...	1	2	...	...	...	6	1	3	...	158	150	8	...
Knap of Reeds, Durham	158	1	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	50	51	...	1
Eno, Durham	210	3	4	5	7	2	...	...	...	3	...	186	197	...	11
Oaks, Alamance	255	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	...	...	27	...	...	27
Bingham, Alamance	272	2	2	2	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	70	75	...	5
Durham, Durham	352	2	2	2	4	1	...	1	5	4	1	348	345	3	...
University, Orange	408	...	...	...	2	2	...	7	1	1	...	116	111	5	...
Bula, Alamance	409	15	14	14	5	1	...	8	6	1	1	176	181	...	5
Thos. M. Holt, Alamance	492	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	30	25	5	...
Elon, Alamance	549	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	47	46	1	...
		25	25	27	20	10	...	53	16	15	3	1208	1181	27	...

Charter Oaks Lodge, No. 255, arrested Feb. 27, 1935.

22—REIDSVILLE DISTRICT—Caswell and Rockingham Counties

Caswell Brotherhood, Caswell ..	11	7	6	7	5	4	...	5	...	3	...	94	102	...	8
Dan River, Rockingham	129	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	45	45	...	...
Leaksville, Rockingham	136	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	170	169	1	...
Reidsville, Rockingham	384	1	1	1	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	154	159	...	5
		9	10	11	10	4	...	5	...	8	...	463	475	...	12

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

14—FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Cumberland and Harnett Counties
and part of Johnston County

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Phoenix, Cumberland	8	1	4	4	4	1	...	6	3	6	2	183	176	6	...
Fellowship, Johnston	84	1	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	3	...	73	74	...	1
Palmra, Harnett	147	8	9	8	7	...	...	3	3	1	...	146	154	...	8
Lillington, Harnett	302	1	2	2	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	56	54	2	...
Lebanon, Cumberland	391	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	37	...	...
Relief, Johnston	431	1	1	...	1	3	...	...	1	...	...	52	55	...	3
Millcreek, Johnston	480	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	11	10	1	...
Neill S. Stewart, Harnett	556	3	3	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	60	66	...	6
Black River, Harnett *	652	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	19	...	...
Fort Bragg, Cumberland	667	2	2	2	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	60	64	...	4
	17	23	22	16	8	...	14	8	11	2	696	709	...	13	...

* No report—last year's figures used.

15—RALEIGH DISTRICT—Wake County, and part of Johnston County

Hiram, Wake	40	1	2	2	20	2	...	8	2	3	1	254	265	...	11
Neuse, Wake	97	4	2	...	1	8	...	...	...	...	...	39	48	...	9
Holly Springs, Wake	115	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	1	...	33	30	3	...
White Stone, Wake	155	2	2	1	2	...	...	1	...	3	...	50	49	1	...
Rolesville, Wake	156	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	...	2	...	29	23	6	...
Archer, Johnston	165	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	33	...	1
Granite, Johnston	191	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	30	27	3	...
Cary, Wake	198	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	49	48	1	...
Wm. G. Hill, Wake	218	6	5	5	4	2	...	24	2	6	3	453	432	21	...
Wm. T. Bain, Wake	231	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	26	25	1	...
Anchor, Wake*	234	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	24	...	24	...
Fuquay, Wake	258	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	77	78	...	1
Green Level, Wake	277	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	45	47	...	2
Wake Forest, Wake	282	7	7	5	5	...	...	1	4	...	...	65	70	...	5
Raleigh, Wake	500	1	1	1	2	...	...	4	...	1	...	152	150	2	...
Wendell, Wake	565	1	3	3	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	66	70	...	4
Apex, Wake	584	2	1	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	56	51	5	...
Zebulon, Wake	609	...	...	...	3	...	...	2	2	...	1	39	38	1	...
	32	30	24	37	16	...	79	13	20	7	1519	1484	35	...	...

*Charter Anchor Lodge, No. 234 surrendered March 23, 1935.

16th DISTRICT Eliminated

17—WILSON DISTRICT—Wilson County and parts of Nash and
Johnston Counties

Joseph Warren, Wilson	92	3	3	3	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	75	75	...	...
Mount Lebanon, Wilson	117	3	3	2	4	2	...	...	1	4	...	173	176	...	3
Kenly, Johnston	257	1	1	1	...	1	...	4	1	1	...	51	47	4	...
Hatcher, Wilson	310	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	34	32	2	...
Selma, Johnston	320	2	2	2	2	1	...	1	1	4	...	66	65	1	...
Bailey, Nash	411	3	...	...	1	7	...	2	...	...	...	58	64	...	6
Rodgers, Nash	525	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	1	5	...	48	40	8	...
Lucama, Wilson	527	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	38	36	2	...
Mount Pleasant, Nash	569	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	14	12	2	...
	13	9	9	7	11	...	12	7	18	...	557	547	10	...	...

Toisnot Lodge, No. 298, consolidated with Mt. Lebanon Lodge, No. 117, May 20, 1935.

Rockville Lodge, No. 411, consolidated with Bailey Lodge, No. 633, as Bailey Lodge, No. 411, at Bailey (17th District).

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

28—GASTONIA DISTRICT—Gaston and Lincoln Counties

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Lincoln, Lincoln	137	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	2	...	114	114	...	...
Gaston, Gaston	263	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	64	60	4	...
Rock Springs, Lincoln	341	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	1	...	...	39	32	7	...
Gastonia, Gaston	369	3	6	6	1	1	...	41	2	7	...	314	272	42	...
South Fork, Gaston	462	...	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	64	...	4
Cherryville, Gaston	505	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	1	...	...	75	73	2	...
Whetstone, Gaston	515	1	1	3	...	1	...	6	2	...	...	53	49	4	...
Mount Holly, Gaston	544	7	7	7	1	3	...	6	...	...	1	65	70	...	5
Lowell, Gaston	590	3	2	2	...	10	...	...	...	1	...	70	81	...	11
Belmont, Gaston	627	4	4	4	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	128	131	...	3
Holland Memorial, Gaston	668	1	2	2	2	...	...	1	2	...	...	55	56	...	1
	21	24	27	9	17	...	61	10	17	1	1037	1002	35	...	...

29—STATESVILLE DISTRICT—Alexander and Iredell Counties

Wilson, Iredell	226	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	23	22	1	...
Lee, Alexander	253	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	96	92	4	...
Hunting Creek, Iredell	299	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	20	20	...	...
Campbell, Iredell	374	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	17	...	...
Grassy Knob, Iredell	471	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	1	2	...	37	30	7	...
Statesville, Iredell	487	2	1	1	4	1	...	...	6	2	...	170	168	2	...
Mooresville, Iredell	496	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	1	2	...	99	91	8	...
Snow Creek, Iredell	571	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	23	23	...	...
Stony Point, Alexander	593	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	37	...	1
Harmony, Iredell	651	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	23	20	3	...
	4	3	5	6	2	...	13	12	12	...	544	520	24	...	...

30—WINSTON-SALEM DISTRICT—Davie, Forsyth, Stokes and Yadkin Counties

Mocksville, Davie	134	5	5	5	1	1	...	2	...	2	...	120	123	...	3
Yadkin, Yadkin	162	4	4	3	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	18	22	...	4
Winston, Forsyth	167	8	6	7	3	3	...	21	6	7	...	412	391	21	...
Farmington, Davie	265	...	1	1	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	26	24	2	...
Salem, Forsyth	289	6	6	6	2	...	...	9	1	2	...	245	241	4	...
Harmon, Yadkin	420	3	4	4	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	14	18	...	4
Baltimore, Yadkin	424	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	27	26	1	...
West Bend, Forsyth	434	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	29	...	1
Oak Grove, Yadkin*	557	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18	...	...
Walnut Cove, Stokes	629	2	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	60	62	...	2
Kernersville, Forsyth	669	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	35	33	2	...
	29	29	29	9	7	...	36	10	15	1	1003	987	16	...	...

*No report—last year's figures used.

31—ELKIN DISTRICT—Surry County

Granite, Surry	322	2	2	2	2	2	...	7	5	3	...	181	172	9	...
Copeland, Surry	390	6	6	6	...	1	...	5	...	1	...	37	38	...	1
Rockyford, Surry	430	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	17	16	1	...
Elkin, Surry	454	...	...	...	1	5	...	1	2	2	...	65	66	...	1
Rusk, Surry	456	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	10	10	...	...
Pilot, Surry	493	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	...	70	68	2	...
Ararat, Surry	558	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18	...	...
Round Peak, Surry	616	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	41	41	...	...
	9	9	8	4	10	...	13	8	11	...	439	429	10	...	...

32nd DISTRICT Eliminated

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

23—GREENSBORO DISTRICT—Davidson and Guilford Counties

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Greensboro, Guilford	76	8	8	8	4	11	...	18	4	4	1	305	302	3	...
Thomasville, Davidson	214	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	112	109	3	...
Tobasco, Guilford	271	4	4	4	1	1	...	5	...	1	...	43	43	...	...
Numa F. Reid, Guilford	344	4	5	5	1	5	...	...	4	11	...	273	269	4	...
Denton, Davidson	404	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	51	54	...	3
Stokesdale, Guilford	428	7	8	8	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	72	81	...	9
Lexington, Davidson	473	7	7	7	...	...	...	9	6	4	...	183	171	12	...
Corinthian, Guilford	542	2	2	2	2	6	...	11	5	7	...	240	227	13	...
Revolution, Guilford	552	13	15	15	2	...	...	2	1	4	...	181	191	...	10
Guilford, Guilford	656	2	1	1	1	3	...	3	1	...	...	87	88	...	1
	48	51	51	13	28	...	...	48	22	34	1	1547	1535	12	...

24—ASHEBORO DISTRICT—Montgomery and Randolph Counties

Blackmer, Montgomery	127	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	46	43	3	...
Hanks, Randolph	128	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	29	31	...	2
Balfour, Randolph	188	4	3	3	2	1	...	...	1	2	...	63	66	...	3
Randleman, Randolph*	209	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	32	...	...
Biscoe, Montgomery	437	...	...	...	3	5	...	...	...	1	...	104	111	...	7
Marietta, Randolph	444	1	1	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	45	43	2	...
	5	4	4	5	8	...	...	3	3	4	1	319	326	...	7

*No report—last year's figures used.

25—SALISBURY DISTRICT—Cabarrus, Rowan and Stanly Counties

Stokes, Cabarrus	32	8	9	6	...	1	...	4	1	3	1	229	228	1	...
Fulton, Rowan	99	3	2	2	3	1	...	17	...	5	3	271	255	16	...
Pee Dee, Stanly	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	2	61	58	3	...
Scotch-Ireland, Rowan	154	2	3	2	...	...	...	5	...	1	...	109	105	4	...
Eureka, Rowan	283	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	81	81	...	...
Stanly, Stanly	348	6	6	6	1	4	...	10	...	3	...	213	211	2	...
Spencer, Rowan	543	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	1	...	178	169	9	...
Andrew Jackson, Rowan	576	2	2	2	7	...	...	11	4	2	...	188	180	8	...
Union, Cabarrus	618	2	2	2	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	24	33	...	9
Cannon Memorial, Cabarrus	626	4	4	4	4	...	...	3	1	2	...	163	165	...	2
Yadkin Falls, Stanly	637	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	107	103	4	...
Keller Memorial, Rowan	657	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	19	21	...	2
	29	29	25	19	13	...	...	61	11	19	6	1643	1609	34	...

26—MONROE DISTRICT—Anson and Union Counties

Kilwinning, Anson	64	...	...	...	4	...	...	5	1	7	...	153	144	9	...
Carolina, Anson*	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	...	26	...	26	...
Monroe, Union	244	4	4	6	6	...	...	...	2	...	1	136	146	...	10
Beaver Dam, Union	276	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	47	45	2	...
Waxhaw, Union	562	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	4	...	...	44	40	4	...
Meadow Branch, Union**	578	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	20	...	...
N. C. Lodge of Res., Union	666	...	...	...	2	...	...	6	...	...	...	29	25	4	...
	4	4	6	12	1	...	...	32	13	9	1	455	420	35	...

* Charter Carolina Lodge, No. 141, surrendered March 15, 1935.

**No report—last year's figures used.

27—CHARLOTTE DISTRICT—Mecklenburg County

Phalanx, Mecklenburg	31	10	10	10	5	3	...	35	8	5	1	455	425	30	...
Mecklenburg, Mecklenburg	176	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	45	...	1
Long Creek, Mecklenburg	205	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	42	41	1	...
Excelsior, Mecklenburg	261	6	4	4	5	1	...	48	5	1	2	515	471	44	...
Craighead, Mecklenburg	366	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	30	29	1	...
Matthews, Mecklenburg	461	...	...	...	1	...	...	5	1	...	...	41	36	5	...
Joppa, Mecklenburg	530	4	4	4	3	6	...	25	8	7	1	455	428	27	...
Williams, Mecklenburg	538	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	...	...	41	33	8	...
	21	19	19	14	11	...	...	122	24	13	4	1623	1508	115	...

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

39—ASHEVILLE DISTRICT—Buncombe, Henderson, Madison, Polk, Counties

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Mount Hermon, Buncombe.....	118	4	3	4	9	4	...	19	15	2	1	462	443	19	...
Blackmer, Buncombe.....	170	1	1	1	...	1	...	3	...	2	...	65	62	3	...
French Broad, Madison.....	292	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	85	83	2	...
Vance, Buncombe.....	293	3	3	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	41	46	...	5
Kedron, Henderson.....	387	7	6	6	6	...	...	4	...	...	...	130	138	...	8
White Rock, Madison.....	392	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	9	9	...	...
Ivy, Madison*.....	406	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	20	...	...
Biltmore, Buncombe.....	446	2	3	3	4	10	...	...	1	1	...	114	129	...	15
Saluda, Polk.....	482	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	36	...	...
Hominy, Buncombe.....	491	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	50	49	1	...
Swannanoa, Buncombe.....	561	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	50	50	...	...
Skyuka, Polk.....	605	1	...	...	...	1	...	5	1	1	...	33	27	6	...
Mill Springs, Polk.....	636	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	17	15	2	...
John A. Nichols, Buncombe.....	650	8	7	7	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	83	88	...	5
Black Mountain, Buncombe.....	663	5	5	8	...	...	...	6	...	2	...	55	55	...	...
West Asheville, Buncombe.....	665	1	2	3	1	1	...	15	2	1	1	105	92	13	...
		34	32	37	20	21	...	57	21	13	2	1355	1342	13	...

*No report—last year's figures used.

40—SPRUCE PINE DISTRICT—Avery, Mitchell and Yancey Counties

Bakersville, Mitchell.....	357	1	1	1	...	2	...	14	...	2	...	57	44	13	...
Bald Creek, Yancey.....	397	...	...	...	1	1	...	9	...	...	...	60	53	7	...
Linville, Avery.....	489	7	6	6	1	4	...	...	...	1	2	57	67	...	10
Vesper, Mitchell.....	554	...	...	1	2	2	...	4	...	...	...	57	58	...	1
Cranberry, Avery.....	598	1	1	1	1	2	...	14	...	...	...	93	83	10	...
		9	8	9	5	11	...	41	...	3	2	324	305	19	...

41—WAYNESVILLE DISTRICT—Haywood and Transylvania Counties

Waynesville, Haywood.....	259	8	4	5	10	6	...	5	1	3	...	134	146	...	12
Dunns Rock, Transylvania.....	267	3	3	4	3	1	1	3	8	3	...	128	121	7	...
Pigeon River, Haywood.....	386	1	1	...	...	3	...	2	1	3	...	152	149	3	...
Clyde, Haywood.....	453	3	3	3	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	64	63	1	...
Sonoma, Haywood.....	472	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	1	2	...	61	62	...	1
		15	11	12	13	14	2	11	11	13	...	539	541	...	2

42—SYLVA DISTRICT—Jackson, Macon and Swain Counties

Junaluskee, Macon.....	145	4	5	5	1	...	...	19	1	...	...	82	68	14	...
Unaka, Jackson.....	268	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	82	79	3	...
East LaPorte, Jackson.....	358	1	1	...	...	...	...	7	...	1	...	69	61	8	...
Oconee, Swain.....	427	1	1	1	1	...	...	37	2	2	...	147	108	39	...
Blue Ridge, Macon.....	435	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	42	41	1	...
Dillsboro, Jackson.....	459	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	38	36	2	...
Glenville, Jackson.....	551	1	1	2	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	26	26	...	...
		9	10	10	2	1	...	67	4	9	...	486	419	67	...

43—MURPHY DISTRICT—Cherokee and Clay Counties

Cherokee, Cherokee.....	146	4	1	1	3	1	...	...	2	1	...	76	78	...	2
Clay, Clay.....	301	3	3	3	...	1	...	7	2	1	...	69	63	6	...
Montgomery, Cherokee.....	426	1	1	1	...	...	...	9	1	4	...	42	29	13	...
Marble Spring, Cherokee.....	439	...	...	...	1	1	...	4	...	1	...	45	42	3	...
Unaka, Cherokee.....	506	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	8	12	...	4
Andrews, Cherokee.....	529	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	86	87	...	1
		10	7	7	4	7	...	20	5	8	...	326	311	15	...

44—RUTHERFORDTON DISTRICT—McDowell and Rutherford Counties

Western Star, Rutherford.....	91	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	3	1	...	90	85	5	...
Mystic Tie, McDowell.....	237	1	1	1	1	...	...	15	2	3	...	163	145	18	...
Forest City, Rutherford.....	381	5	3	3	6	...	...	7	1	1	...	76	76	...	...
Joppa, McDowell.....	401	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	48	1	...
Cliffside, Rutherford.....	460	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	54	52	2	...
Hollis, Rutherford.....	535	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	29	28	1	...
		7	5	5	7	...	...	24	6	9	...	461	434	27	...

Abstract of Returns From Subordinate Lodges—(Continued)

33—WILKESBORO DISTRICT—Wilkes County and part of Watauga County

Name of Lodge and County	Number	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
Liberty, Wilkes	45	4	3	2	3	1	...	...	...	3	...	36	39	...	3
Moravian, Wilkes	353	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	40	38	2	...
North Wilkesboro, Wilkes	407	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	2	4	...	103	96	7	...
Clingman, Wilkes	440	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	17	19	...	2
Ashler, Watauga	451	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	31	31	...	...
Trap Hill, Wilkes	463	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	37	35	...	...
Sulphur Springs, Wilkes	560	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	1	2	...	12	17	...	5
Ronda, Wilkes	566	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	19	...	...
Mount Pleasant, Wilkes	573	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	29	...	...
Roaring, Wilkes	599	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	9	11	...	...
		4	3	2	10	10	...	2	4	15	...	333	334	...	1

34—JEFFERSON DISTRICT—Alleghany and Ashe Counties and part of Watauga County

Snow, Watauga	363	...	...	...	1	1	...	23	3	1	...	52	27	25	...
Elk, Watauga	373	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	2	...	32	21	11	...
Scottsville, Ashe	385	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	25	...	...
Sparta, Alleghany	423	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	2	...	40	33	7	...
Piney Creek, Alleghany	432	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	29	...	1
Crumpler, Ashe	467	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	26	25	1	...
Helton, Ashe	594	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	49	...	...
Ashe, Ashe*	671	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	23	...	...
		4	1	1	1	1	...	35	6	5	...	275	232	43	...

*No report—last year's figures used.

35th DISTRICT Eliminated

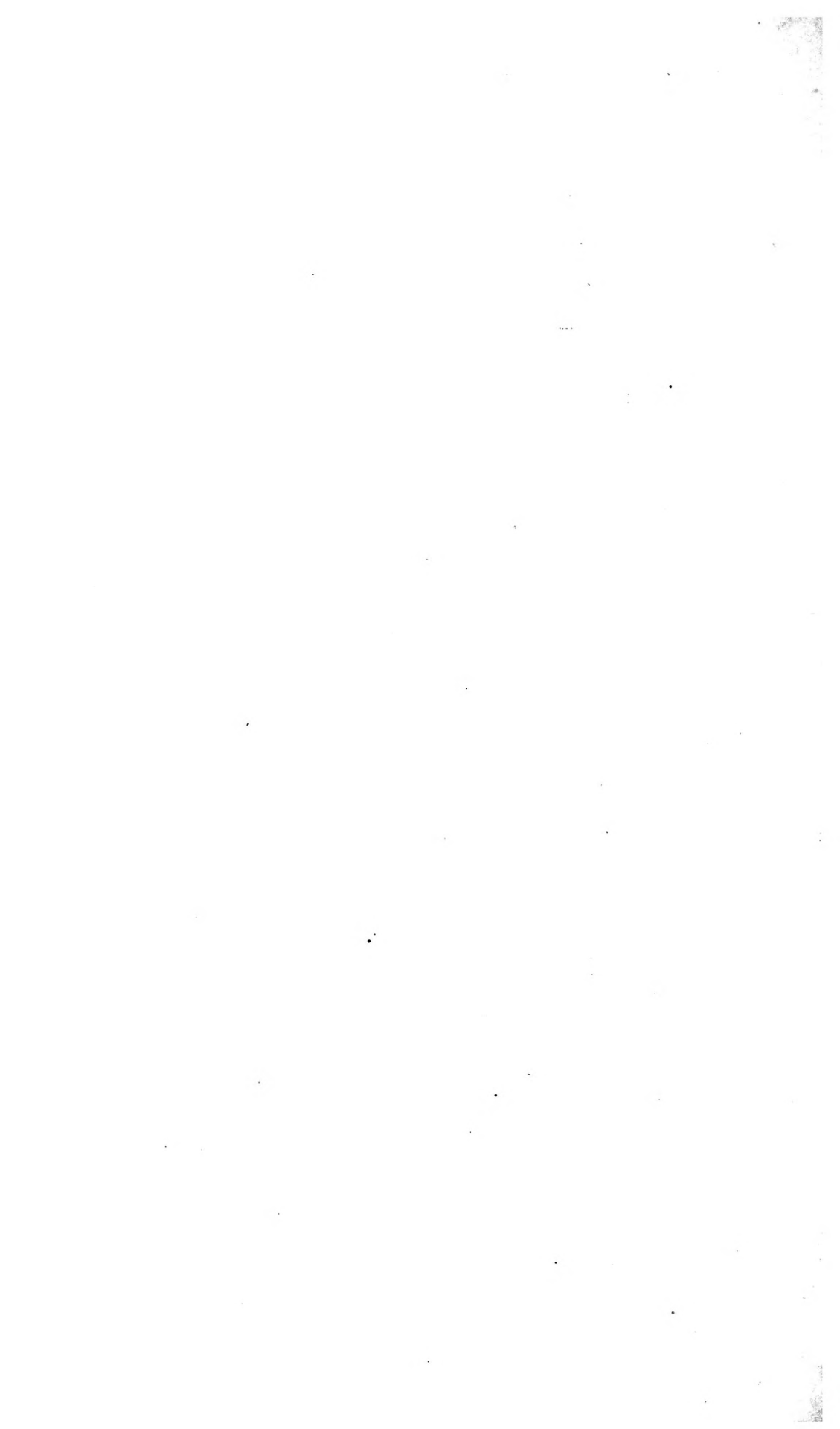
36—HICKORY DISTRICT—Burke, Caldwell and Catawba Counties and part of Watauga County

Catawba Valley, Burke	217	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	115	115	...	...
Catawba, Catawba	248	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	1	...	...	110	112	...	2
Hibriten, Caldwell	262	2	3	3	3	...	...	...	1	5	...	198	198	...	...
Hickory, Catawba	343	...	1	1	1	...	...	12	...	2	...	218	206	12	...
Shawnee, Catawba	382	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	25	...	...
Blowing Rock, Watauga	458	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	33	33	...	...
Cookville, Catawba	502	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	...	...
Maiden, Catawba	592	1	1	1	1	3	...	10	...	1	...	64	58	6	...
Riverside, Catawba	606	3	2	2	...	1	...	14	...	2	...	76	63	13	...
Lovelady, Burke	670	4	4	4	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	42	49	...	7
		10	13	13	10	8	...	37	3	13	1	911	889	22	...

37—SHELBY DISTRICT—Cleveland County

Cleveland, Cleveland	202	4	2	1	...	...	...	14	7	3	...	222	199	23	...
Fair View, Cleveland	339	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	83	85	...	2
Fallston, Cleveland	356	5	5	6	...	...	...	5	...	1	...	31	32	...	1
State Line, Cleveland	375	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	48	49	...	1
Mooresboro, Cleveland	388	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	58	58	...	...
Lawnedale, Cleveland	486	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	57	...	3
Lattimore, Cleveland	508	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	38	37	1	...
Camp Call, Cleveland	534	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	51	51	...	...
Casar, Cleveland	579	1	15	16	...	1
		12	10	10	5	4	...	20	9	6	...	600	584	16	...

38th DISTRICT Eliminated



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RECAPITULATION OF ABSTRACT OF RETURNS FROM SUBORDINATE LODGES

For Year Ending December 31, 1935, by Districts

DISTRICT	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Reinstated	Expelled	Suspended	Withdrawn	Died	Rejected	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase
1 Elizabeth City	15	15	16	10	---	---	48	5	13	5	679	639	40	---
2 Windsor	8	8	8	2	4	---	15	7	12	---	584	564	20	---
3 Plymouth	12	14	18	9	6	---	9	---	8	2	498	514	---	16
4 Halifax	12	16	17	10	4	1	25	18	13	1	642	616	26	---
5 Greenville	14	10	10	19	8	---	10	6	9	4	467	479	---	12
6 Kinston	33	28	19	10	7	---	40	9	13	---	660	634	26	---
7 New Bern	23	19	18	2	6	---	29	5	13	4	755	734	21	---
8 Jacksonville	6	1	1	1	---	---	7	4	3	---	201	189	12	---
9 Clinton	14	14	14	26	6	---	10	3	9	4	533	557	---	24
10 Wilmington	18	13	13	11	12	---	50	7	14	3	1262	1227	35	---
11 Lumberton	5	2	3	7	9	---	35	3	8	1	524	497	27	---
12 Rockingham	11	12	8	12	11	---	40	6	11	1	602	576	26	---
13 Sanford	8	11	10	21	6	---	18	12	7	1	633	633	---	---
14 Fayetteville	17	23	22	16	8	---	14	8	11	2	696	709	---	13
15 Raleigh	32	30	24	37	16	---	79	13	20	7	1519	1484	35	---
16 Smithfield	Eliminated													
17 Wilson	13	9	9	7	11	---	12	7	18	---	557	547	10	---
18 Rocky Mount	8	9	9	6	3	---	18	11	15	6	598	572	26	---
19 Henderson	10	9	10	19	3	---	14	9	8	2	482	483	---	1
20 Oxford	8	11	11	1	1	---	4	2	9	1	413	411	2	---
21 Durham	25	25	27	20	10	---	53	16	15	3	1208	1181	27	---
22 Reidsville	9	10	11	10	4	---	5	---	8	---	463	475	---	12
23 Greensboro	48	51	51	13	28	---	48	22	34	1	1547	1535	12	---
24 Asheboro	5	4	4	5	8	---	3	3	4	1	319	326	---	7
25 Salisbury	29	29	25	19	13	---	61	11	19	6	1643	1609	34	---
26 Monroe	4	4	6	12	1	---	32	13	9	1	455	420	35	---
27 Charlotte	21	19	19	14	11	---	122	24	13	4	1623	1508	115	---
28 Gastonia	21	24	27	9	17	---	61	10	17	1	1037	1002	35	---
29 Statesville	4	3	5	6	2	---	13	12	12	---	544	520	24	---
30 Winston-Salem	29	29	29	9	7	---	36	10	15	1	1003	987	16	---
31 Elkin	9	9	8	4	10	---	13	8	11	---	439	429	10	---
32 Yadkinville	Eliminated													
33 Wilkesboro	4	3	2	10	10	---	2	4	15	---	333	334	---	1
34 Jefferson	4	1	1	1	1	---	35	6	5	---	275	232	43	---
35 Boone	Eliminated													
36 Hickory	10	13	13	10	8	---	37	3	13	1	911	889	22	---
37 Shelby	12	10	10	5	4	---	20	9	6	---	600	584	16	---
38 Hendersonville	Eliminated													
39 Asheville	34	32	37	20	21	---	57	21	13	2	1355	1342	13	---
40 Spruce Pine	9	8	9	5	11	---	41	---	3	2	324	305	19	---
41 Waynesville	15	11	12	13	14	2	11	11	13	---	539	541	---	2
42 Sylva	9	10	10	2	1	---	67	4	9	---	486	419	67	---
43 Murphy	10	7	7	4	7	---	20	5	8	---	326	311	15	---
44 Rutherfordton	7	5	5	7	---	---	24	6	9	---	461	434	27	---
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